



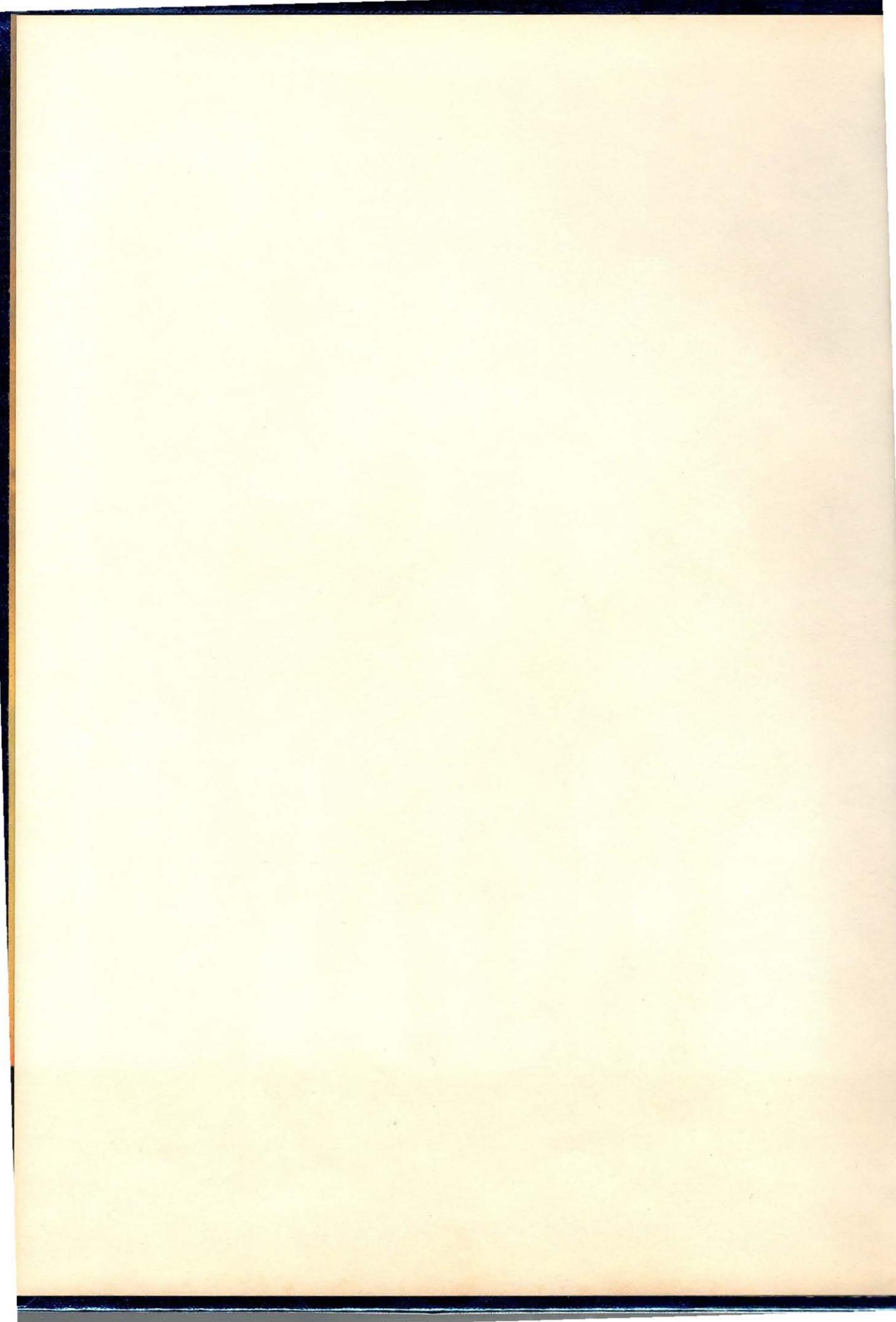
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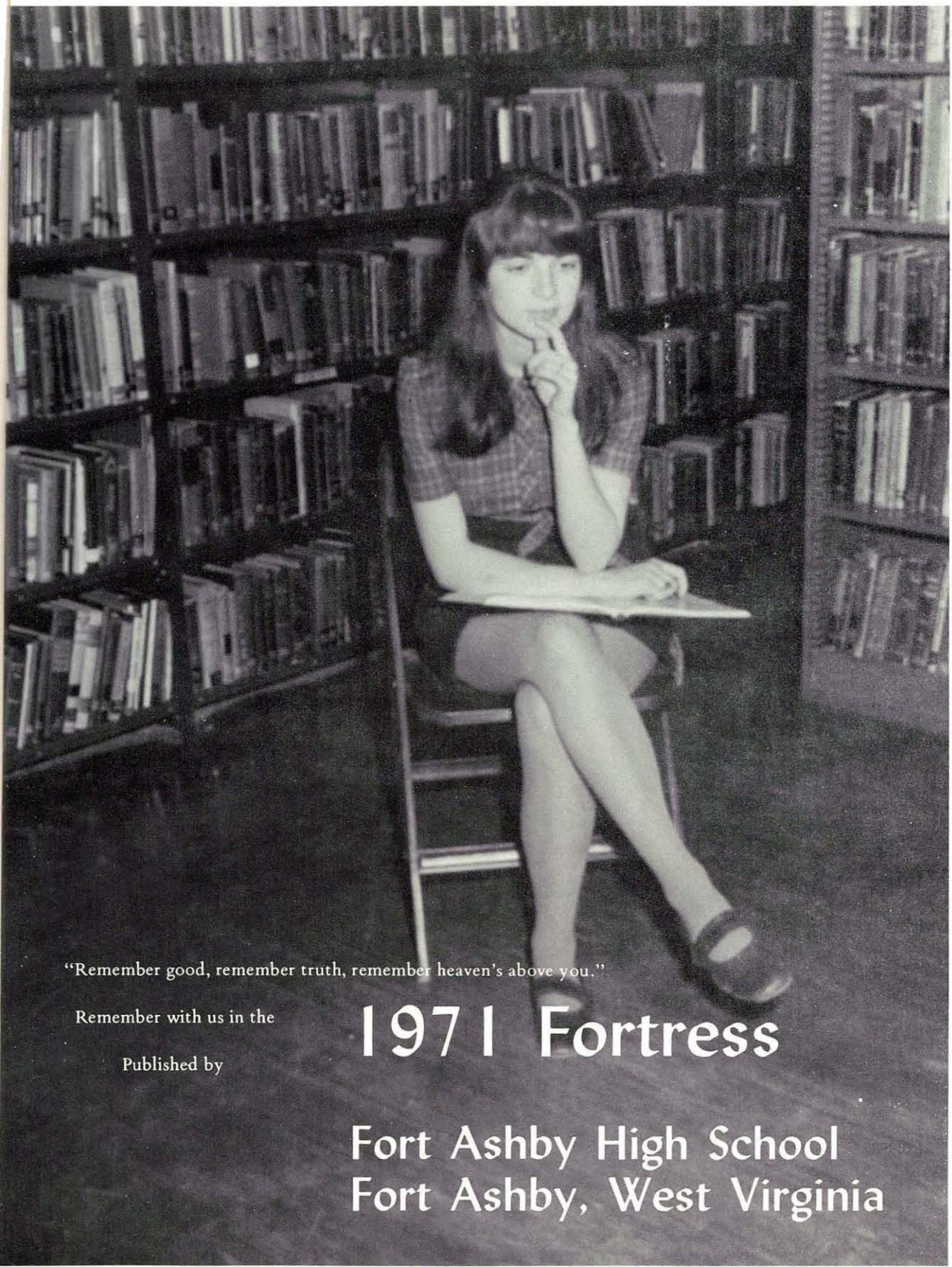


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1971







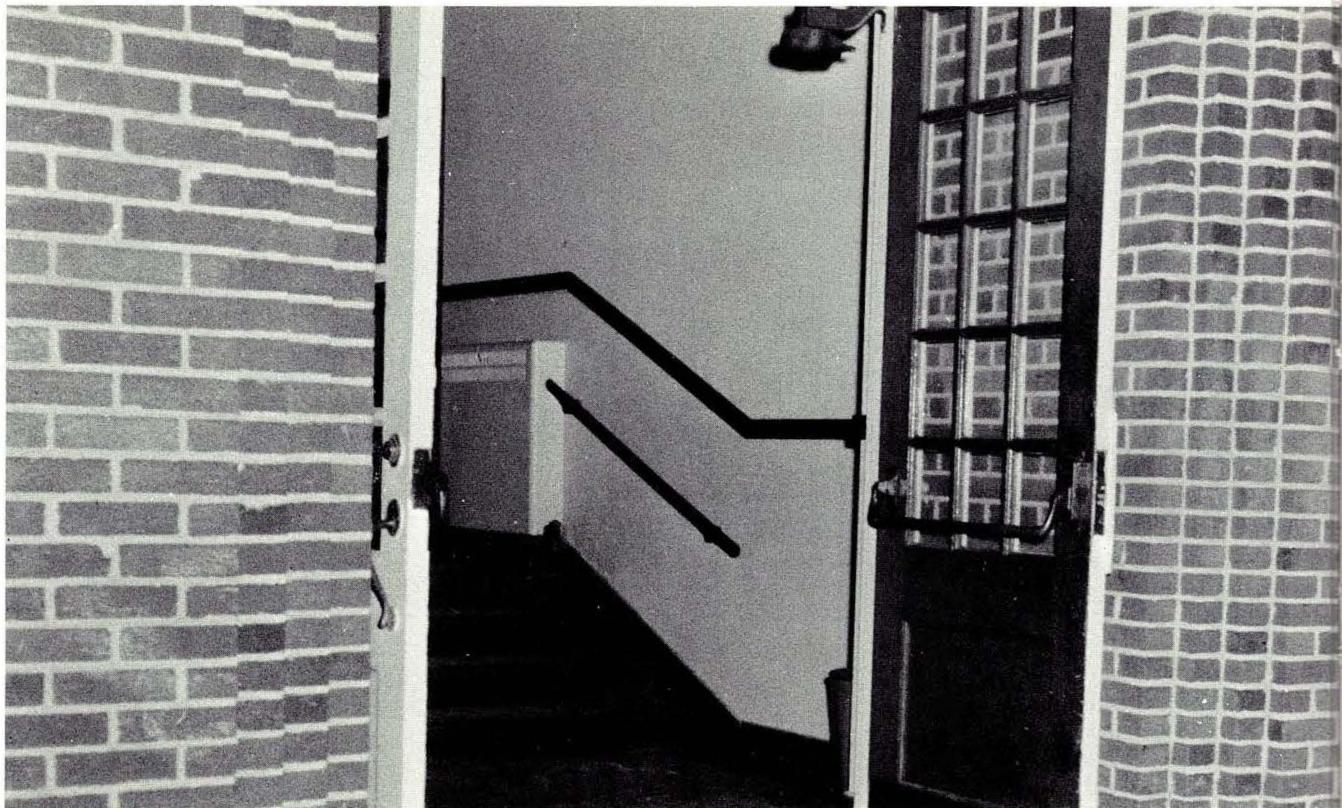
"Remember good, remember truth, remember heaven's above you."

Remember with us in the

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1971 Fortress

Fort Ashby High School
Fort Ashby, West Virginia



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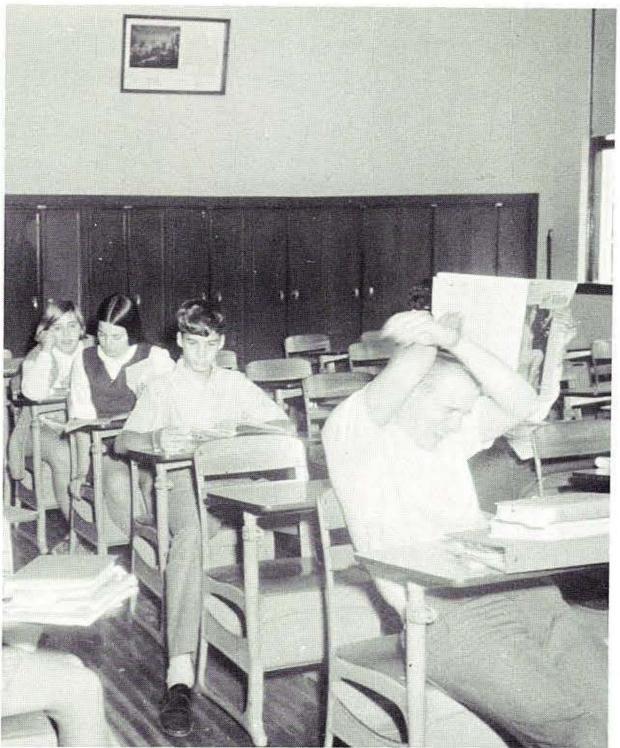
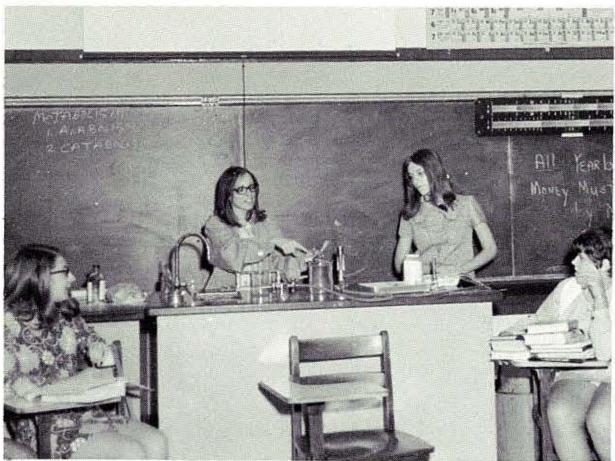


Foreword

The feelings a student acquires as he passes through twelve years of formal schooling are deeply felt and difficult to express in words. One emotion that is felt almost universally by graduating high school students is one of anticipation. For, as Winston Churchill once said, "This is not the end. It is not even the beginning of the end. It is rather the end of the beginning."

The FORTRESS is more than a collection of pictures and words. It is a library of memories and reminders of all the good and the not so good, the easy and the not so easy, the fast and the not so fast, school life and all its riches.

As you journey through this book, the 1971 Fortress Staff hopes that you will share with us some of the pride we have in it and in what it so proudly represents. This is our story of the final curtain, ending our beginning at Fort Ashby High School. Enjoy it, please, we did.





**Do
You
Remember
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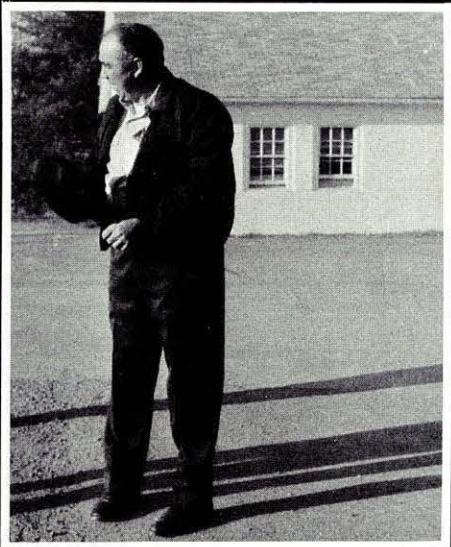
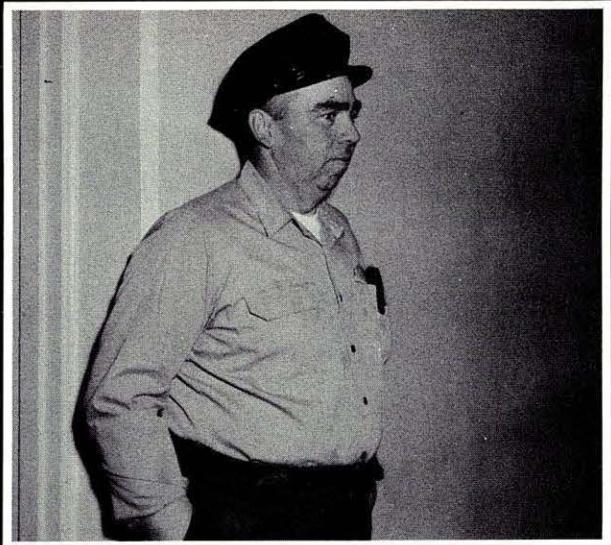
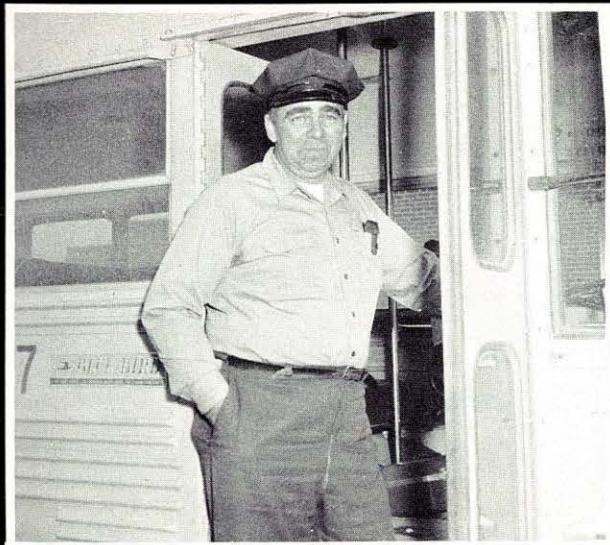


This Is Dedicated to . . .



the One Who . . .

- . Serves the students of Fort Ashby High School cheerfully and faithfully
- . . . Devotes extra time for extra-curricular activities such as driving the bus for the ball players
- . . . Makes going to school easier for those who ride his bus



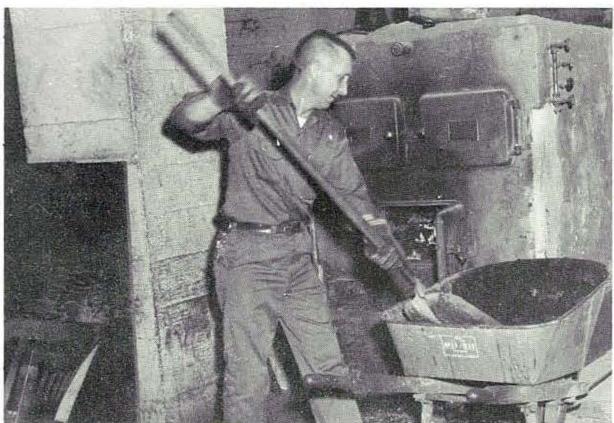
This 1971 edition of the "Fortress" is dedicated with admiration and sincere affection to one of THE greatest bus drivers,

**Mr.
Junior
Bowers**

Esther Evans and Edith Thompson, cooks.



Joe Hughes, Kay Shreve, Wayne Staggs, and Charles Snyder, kitchen helpers.



Mr. Shook, custodian.

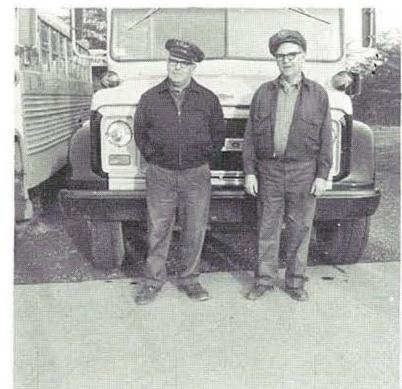
BUS DRIVERS



Mr. Hayes—Mr. Anderson



Mr. Umstot—Mr. Bowers



Mr. Barnes—Mr. Sherman

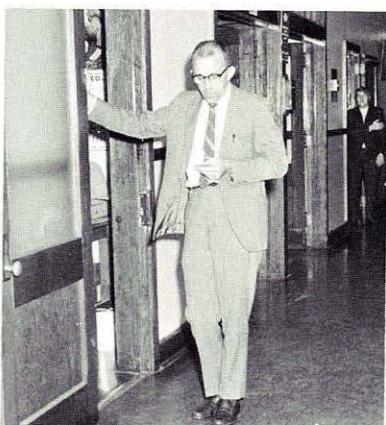


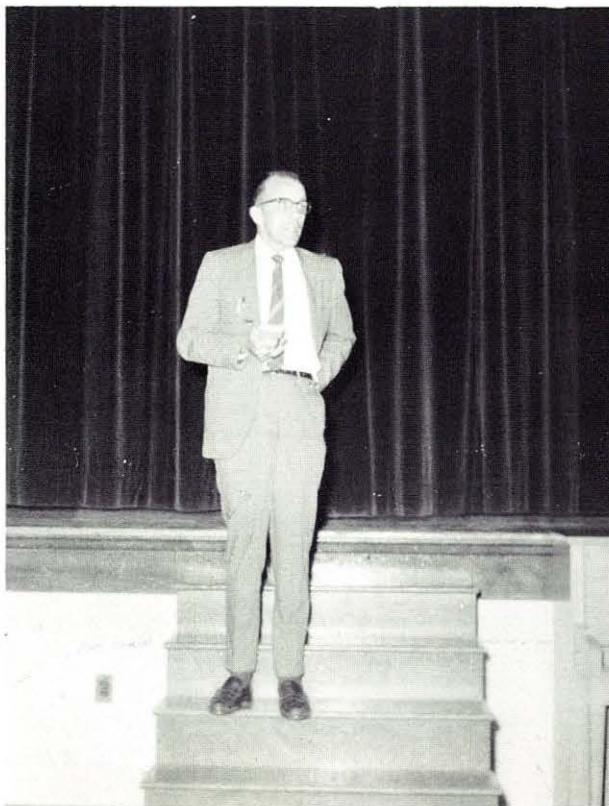
Mr. Raines—Mr. Dayton



ADMINISTRATION

Our Principal . . .





Mr. Marker

... Always busy . . . always devoted . . . always ready . . . always a principal.

Fort Ashby High School awaits his coming in the fall to once again bring life to its empty halls. All year it is warmed and cared for by the personal touch that is characteristic of our principal.

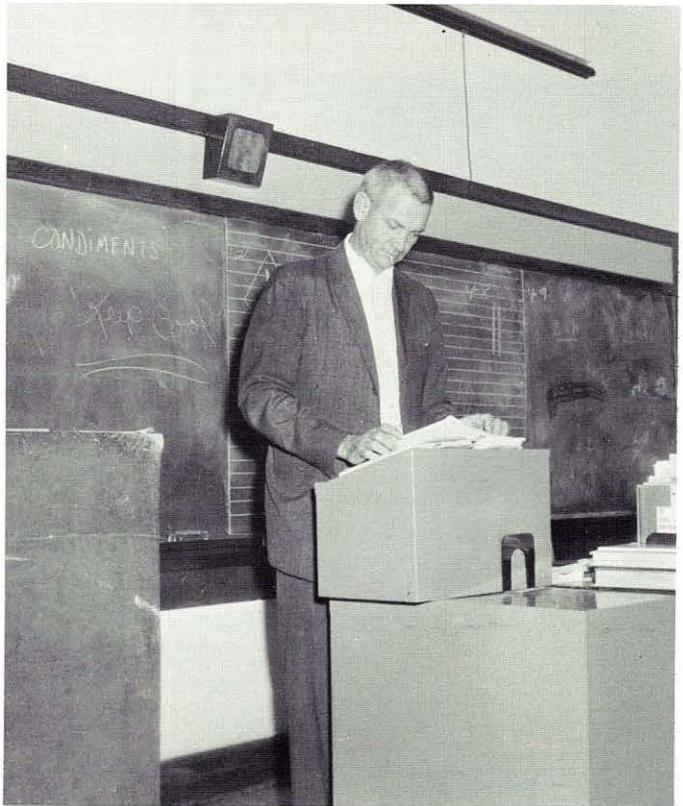
He is indeed a part of this high school . . . the part that helps so much to make graduates of Fort Ashby High School a welcome addition to American society.

The Fortress Staff wishes to thank you, Mr. Marker, for making this a memorable final year.



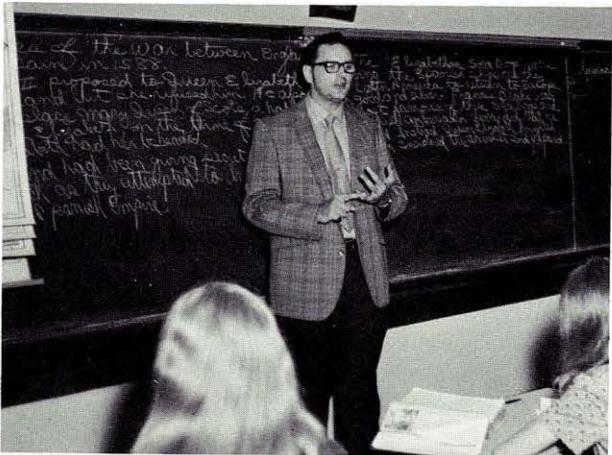
Assistant Principal

Mr. Sayers plays many roles in helping to run Fort Asby High. Among them are teacher, coach, and assistant principal. He is a man for whom everyone has respect . . . but most important of all, he is everyone's friend and helper.





FACULTY



Mr. Dye . . . Telling it like it was.



Mrs. Athey . . . "Now in France we . . . "



Mrs. Mason . . . "Now listen people"??



Mr. Miller . . . Getting away from it all.



Mr. Porter . . . Raring to go.

"Every man who rises above the common level has received two educations: the first from his teachers; the second, more personal and important, from himself."

—Edward Gibbon



Mr. Moore . . . "How should I know?"



Mrs. Shepp . . . Leaving?



Mr. Riley . . . Just the basic fundamentals.



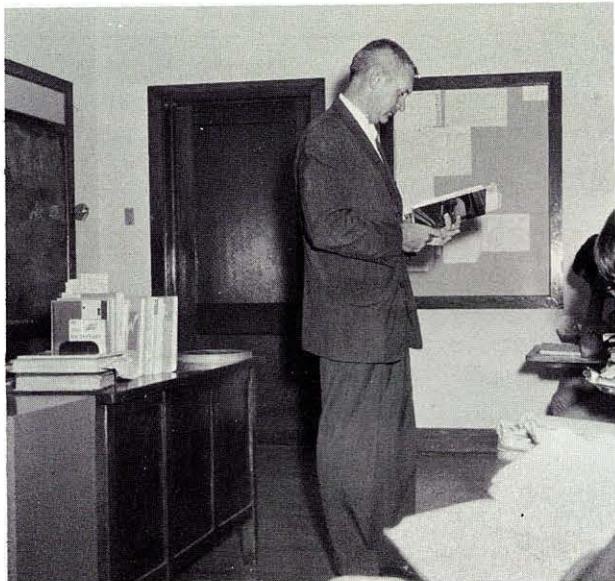
Miss Self . . . A smile for all seasons.

The twig is so easily bended
I have banished the rule and the rod:
I have taught them the goodness of
knowledge,
They have taught me the goodness of God;
My heart is the dungeon of darkness,
Where I shut them for breaking a rule;
My frown is sufficient correction;
My love is the law of the school.

Charles M. Dickinson



Mrs. Givler . . . It's been a long year.



Mr. Sayers . . . No foolishness here.



Miss Self



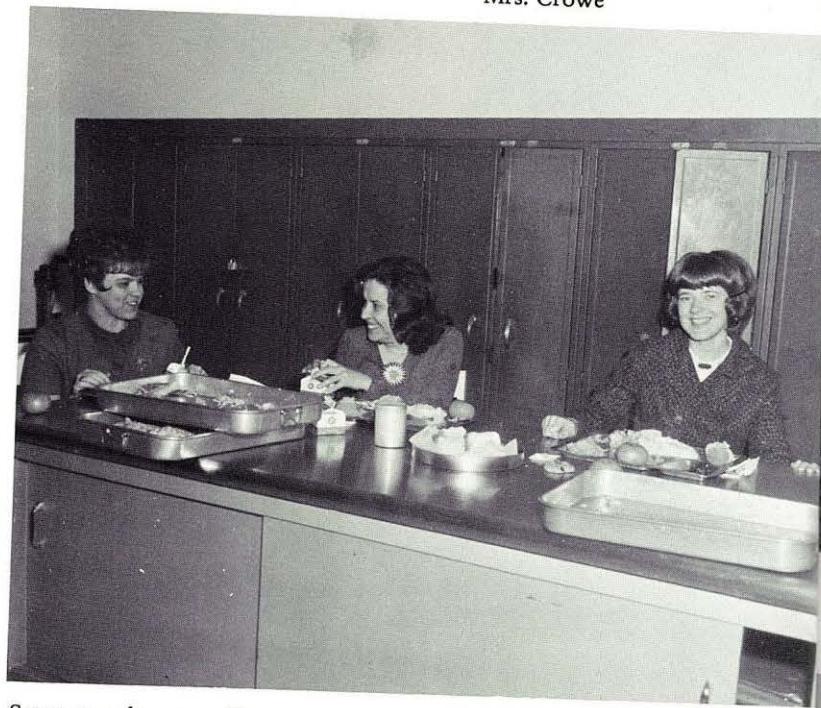
Mrs. Patterson



Mrs. Crowe

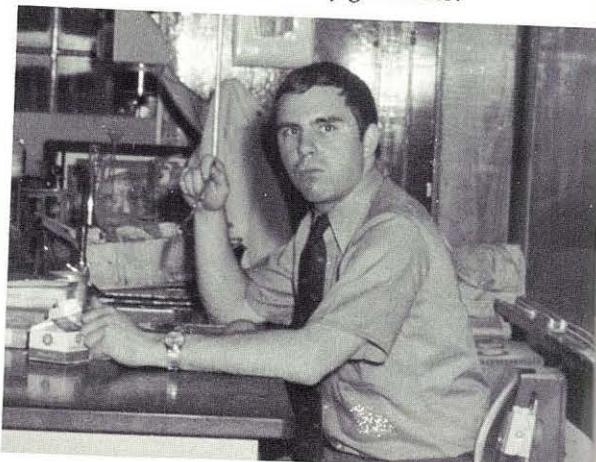


Miss Ansel . . .
And that's just the way it is!

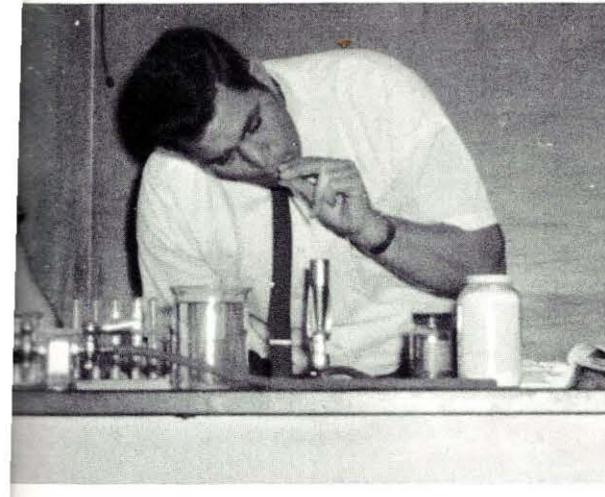


Some people can really put away the food!

Mr. Amato . . . Has somebody gone nuts?



"He is wise who can instruct us and assist
us in the business of daily virtuous living."
—Carlyle



Mr. Riley . . . Go to it . . . 1, 2, 3, BLOW!



Mrs. Givler . . . It has to be here somewhere.



Mr. Riley and Mr. Porter . . . It can't be all that bad.



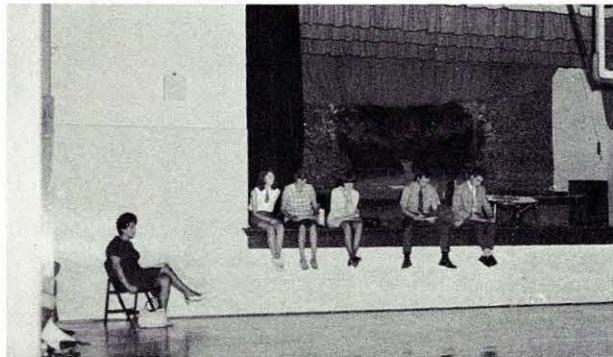
Mr. Dye . . . You gotta be kidding.



Mrs. Athey . . . Your Garfinkle is showing!

"Full well they laughed, with
counterfeited glee,
At all his jokes, for many a
joke had he.
Full well the busy whisper,
circling round,
Convey'd the dismal tidings
when he frowned.

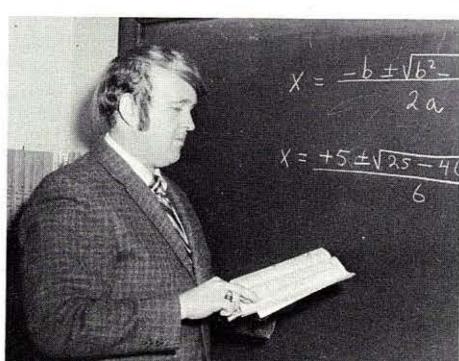
—Goldsmith



Teachers all together . . . there's bound to be trouble.



Familiar a c e s





SENIORS



Class officer 3,4; Fortress 4;
Class play 3,4; Falashbian 3.



Class officer 1,2,3,4; FHA 1,
2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Class
play 2,3,4.

DEBORAH DAWN MULLIN
VICE PRESIDENT

"One thing with which I cannot part is
the secret I hide inside my heart."

JOSEPH ARTHUR HUGHES
PRESIDENT

"Anything in life worth having is worth
waiting for."

"Smile! You'll be surprised at its rewards."

"Today's teardrops are tomorrow's
rainbows."

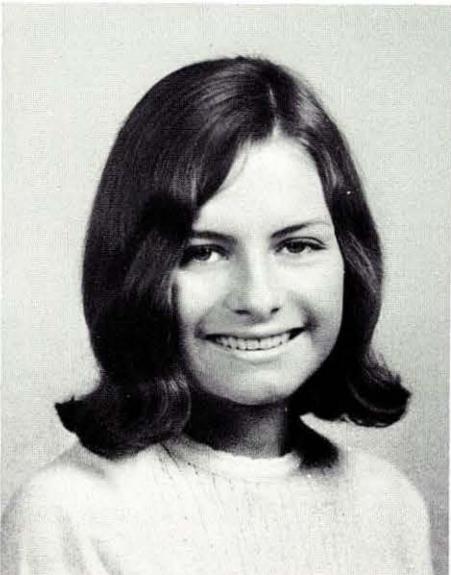
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CYNTHIA LOUISE FRASE

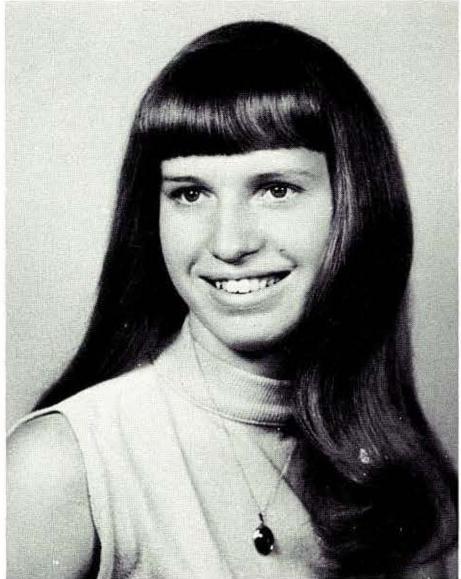


FHA 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4;
Class play 3,4; Fortress 4;
Class officer 4; FBLA 4.

FTA 3,4; Class play 2,3,4;
Pep Club 3,4; Class officer 2,
4; Fortress 4; Falashbian 3;
Cheerleader 4.

TREASURER
VEVA LYNN NIELD



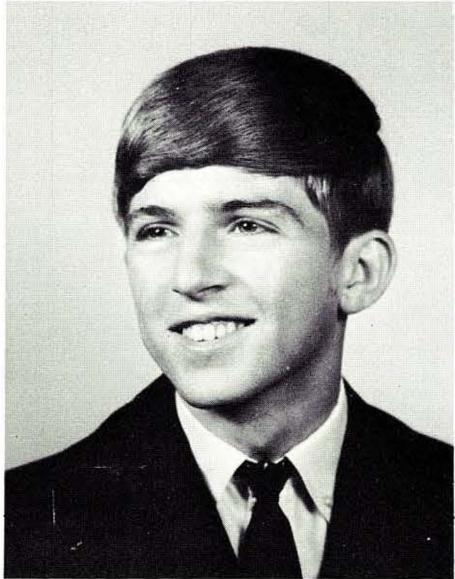


FHA 2,3,4; Class officer 2,3;
Miss Pep 3; FTA 3,4; Pep
Club 1,2,3,4; Class play 2,3,4;
Falashbian 3; Cheerleader 1,
4; Fortress 4; Citizen of
Month 4.

SALLY ANNETTE WAGONER
REPORTER

"Absence makes the heart grow fonder,
but togetherness makes it grow even
more."

Class play 3,4.



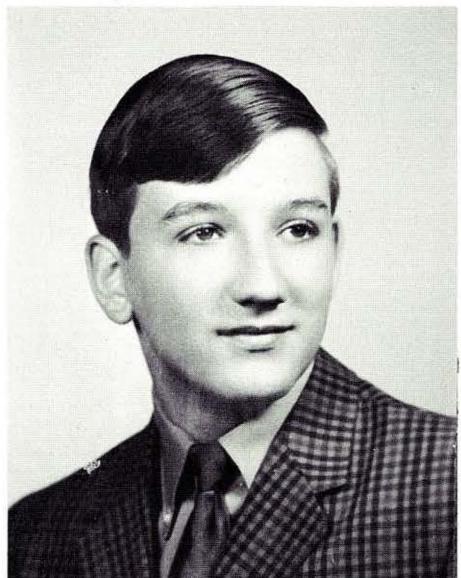
DAVID HENRY ABE

"One hundred friends are not too many,
but one enemy is."

"Smile! It makes people wonder what you
have been up to."

"If a page is missing from a book, then the
book is priceless."

GARY LEE ADAMS

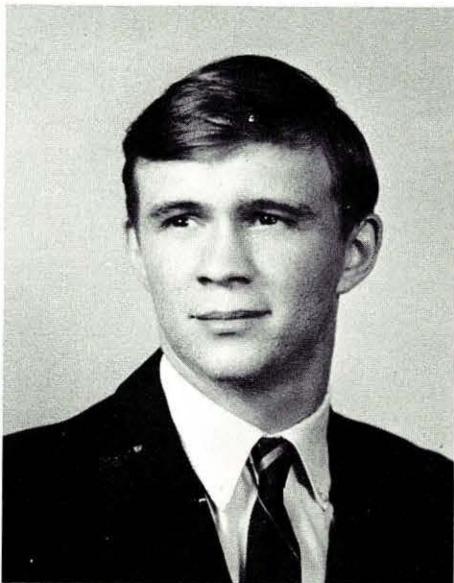


Timer 2,3; Class play 3.

Class play 2,3,4; Falashbian 3;
Chorus 2; Pep Club 2,3;
Fortress 4.

HARLEY PAGE BALDWIN

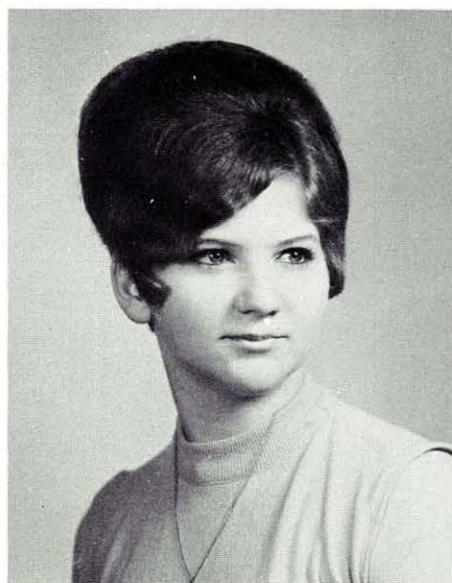




Class play 3,4; Chorus 3; Pep Club 3.

LARRY WAYNE BARNES

"He who expecteth nothing shall not be disappointed."



Pep Club 1,2,3,4; FBLA 4; FHA 2,3,4; Class play 2,3,4; Fortress 4.

ROXIE LOU BOSLEY

"We judge ourselves by what we believe we are capable of doing while others judge us by what we have already done."

"Never judge a man until you walk a mile in his shoes."

MICHAEL TAYLOR BRADFIELD



Class play 2,3,4; Basketball 1, 2,3,4; Baseball 2,3; NHS 4; Fortress 4; Class officer 2.

Pep Club 2; Class play 2,3,4; Fortress 4; Basketball 3,4.



STEVEN NEIL BRAFFORD



Class officer 1; Class play 2,3,
4; Fortress 4; Basketball 1,2,
3,4; Baseball 1,2,3; Outstand-
ing Teenager of America 3.

DOUGLAS LLOYD BRELSFORD

"I complained because I had no shoes, un-
til I saw a man with no feet."



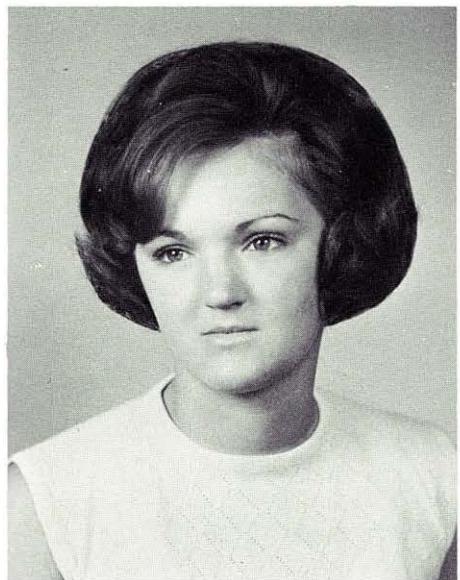
RODNEY BAKER BRELSFORD

Live one day at a time."

"Everything is subject unto love."

"Be kind and good to every living thing."

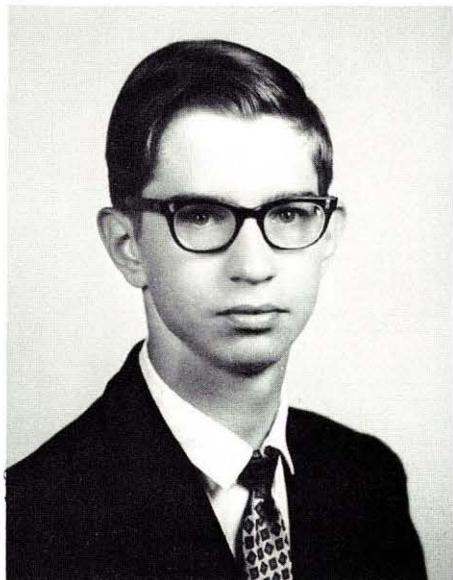
PATSY LEE CALDWELL



Fortress Editor 4; Jr.-Sr.
Banquet 3 (Mistress of
Ceremonies); Class Play 2,3,4.

Class play 3,4; Fortress 4.

JOHN IVAN CRITES





BARBARA GAIL CRONE

"The best use of a life is to spend it for something that will outlast it."

Class officer 3; FTA 2,3,4; NHS 4; Citizen of Month 1; Citizen of Year 2; Fortress 4; Class play 2,3,4; Outstanding Teenager of America 3; Nat'l Merit Commendation 3; Honor Student 1.



CHARLES HENRY DEREMER

"Today is the first day of the rest of your life."

"Humor is the sunshine that warms a chilly pool."

ROBIN YVONNE DOHRMAN

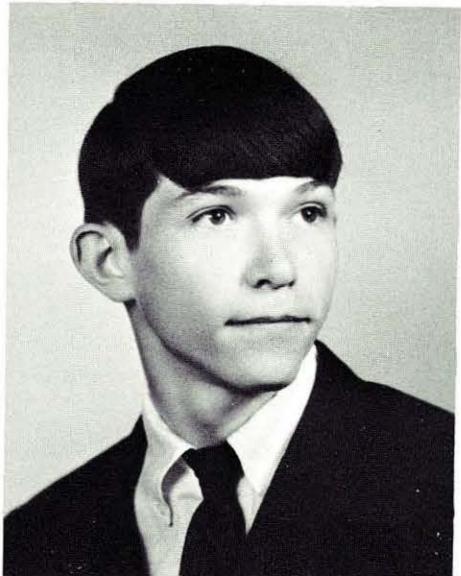


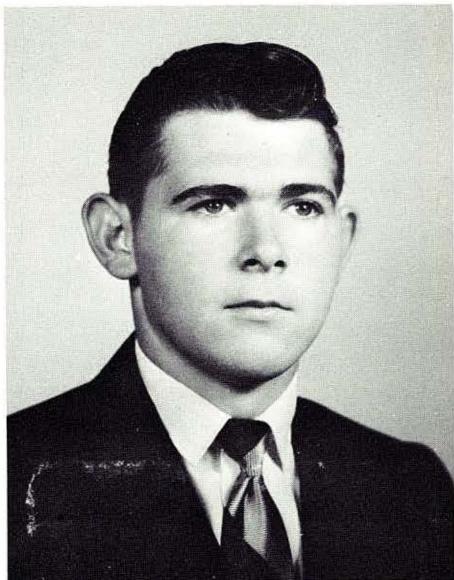
FTA 2,3,4; NHS 4; FHA 1,2, 3,4; Pep Club 2; Citizen of Year 3; Class play 2,3,4; Fortress 4.

Class play 3,4; Chorus 2; Basketball 1,3.

"Do your own thing—be groovy."

MELVIN EUGENE DOWDEN





GARY JAMES GARLAND

"Do not put off 'til tomorrow what you can do today."

FFA 3,4.



THOMAS NELSON HARDEN

"Let's get together."

"We make a living by what we make, but we make a life by what we give."

DIANA HARTMAN (BENNETT)



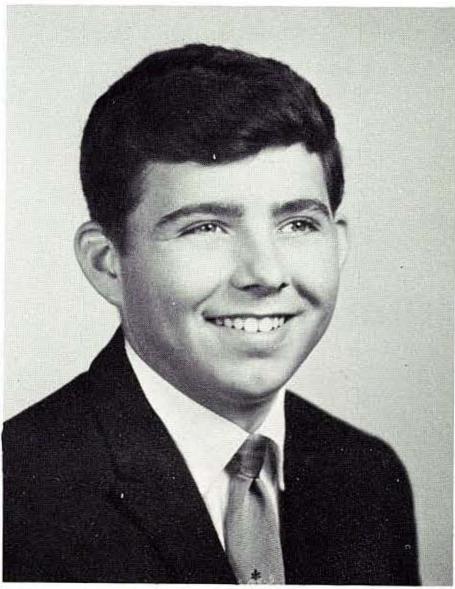
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Class play 2,3,4; Manager 3,4; Basketball 1.

"Winning in life isn't everything; it's the only thing."

DENNIS PAUL HAYES





Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball
2,3; Class play 3.

DONALD GLASTON HAYES

"Anything worth doing is worth doing well."



JANICE RAE HEAVNER

"Everything is beautiful in its own way."

"Loneliness is being surrounded by many people but not with the one you love."

JOYCE LYNN HEAVNER



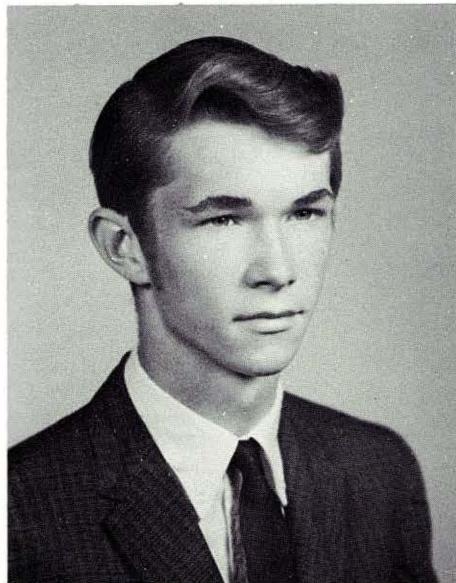
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FTA 3,4; NHS 4; Chorus 2;
Class play 3,4; Falashbian 3;
Cheerleader 1; Fortress 4.

Class play 2,3,4; Chorus 2.

"Just one life 'twill soon be past; only
what is done for Christ will last."

MARVIN EARL HINKLE





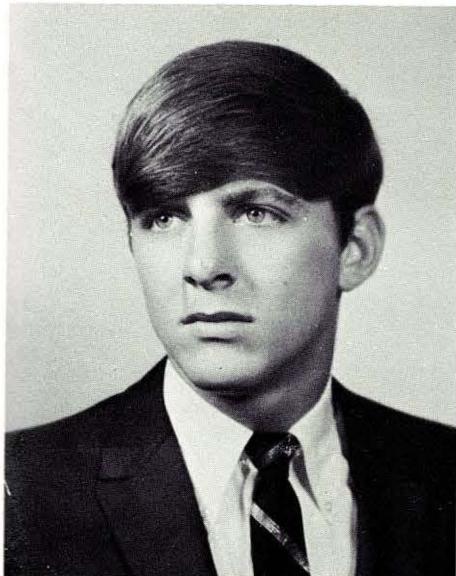
Class play 3; Basketball 1,3.

DONALD WAYNE KENNEY *(Humberton)*

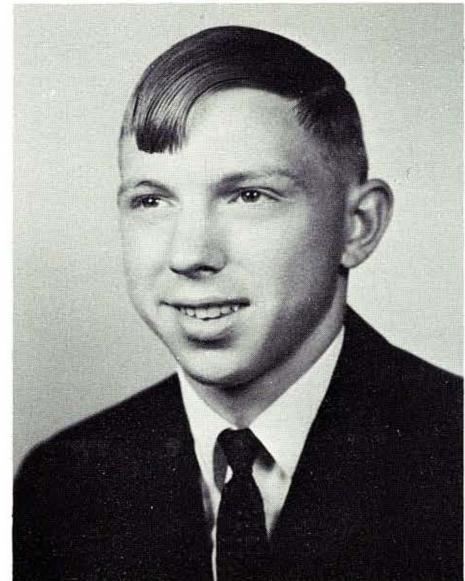
"If you like it, do it. If you don't like it, forget it."

"Love holds the world together; so, get yourself together and love."

JOSEPH BRANSON LEE



Class play 2,3,4; Pep Club 4.

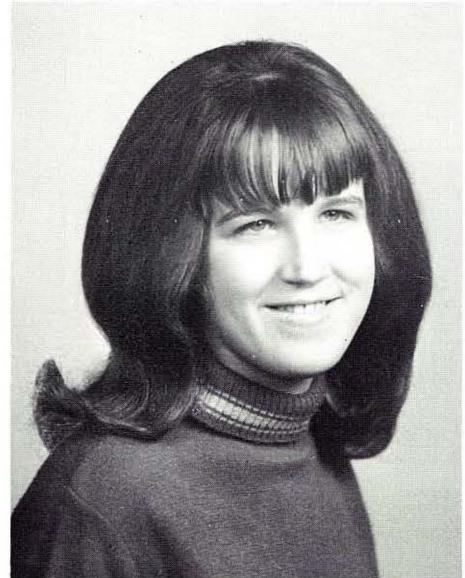


RONALD EUGENE KENNEY

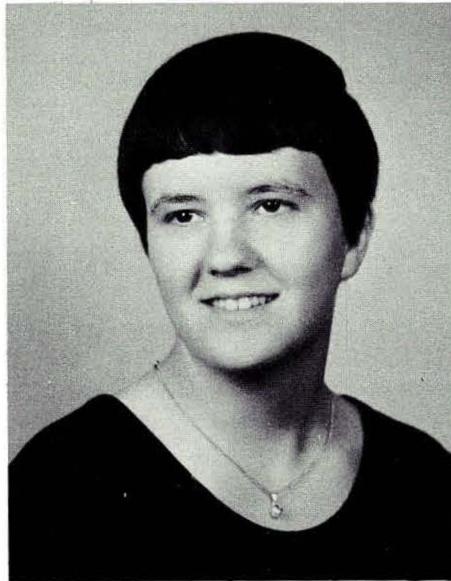
"If you want something done right, do it yourself."

"If love makes the world go 'round, then, catch me—I'm getting dizzy."

VIRGINIA MAY LEWIS



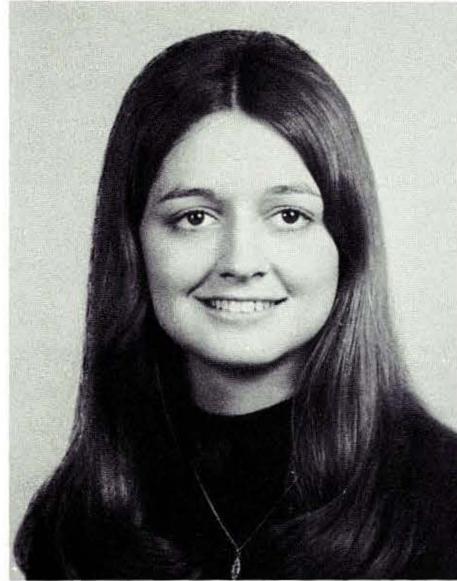
FHA 3.



DONNA RUTH LONG

"Wise men say nothing in dangerous times."

Class play 3; Pep Club 4;
Falashbian 4.

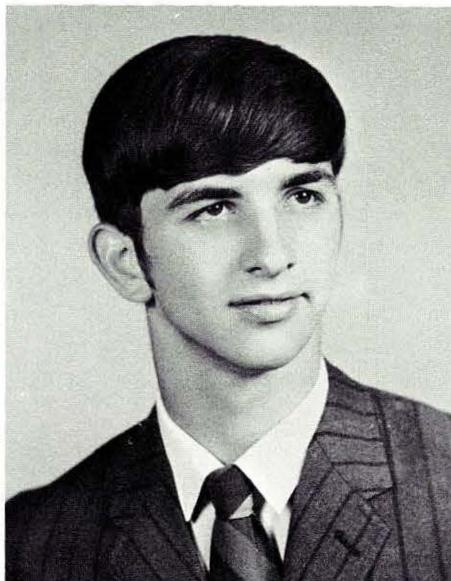


GLENDAGENE LONG

"Those who love and laugh will surely do well."

"Heroes are made, not born."

BRIAN DALE MORELAND

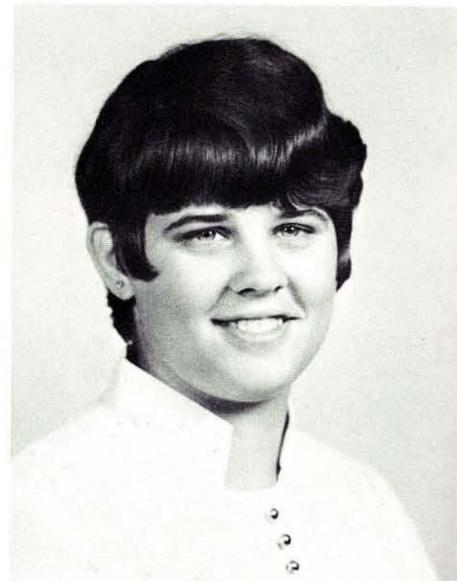


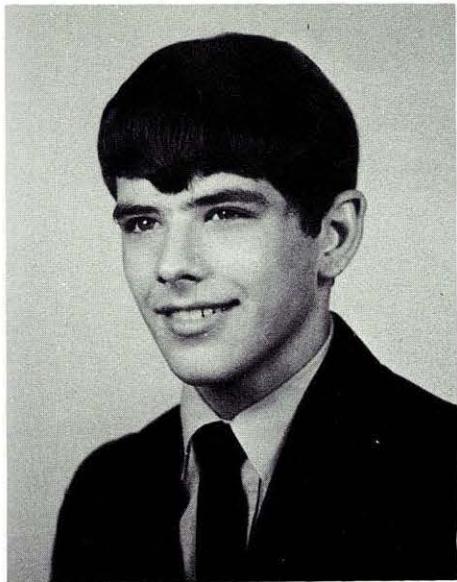
Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball
2,3.

FHA 1,2,3,4; FTA 3,4; Pep
Club 2,3,4; Class play 2,4;
Falashbian Editor 4.

"Being important is mighty nice, but being nice is more important."

LU ANNE MORELAND

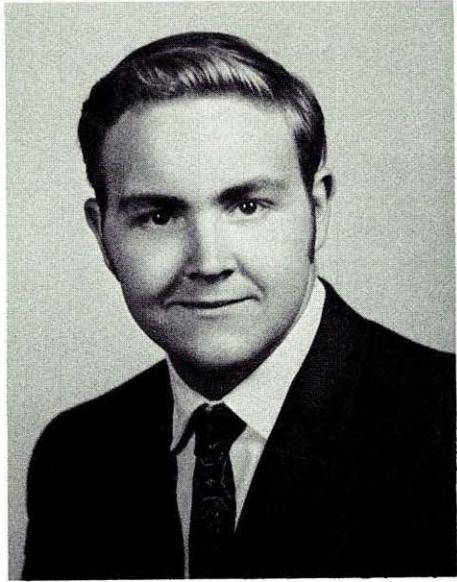




Class officer 3; Class play 3,4;
Basketball timer 2,3; Baseball
scorer 2,3; Fortress 4.

CHARLES MICHAEL MORRIS

"A friend is a person with whom I may be sincere. Before him, I may think aloud."



WILLARD LAWERENCE NELSON

"Now is the time for all good things to come to an end; that's why I'm leaving."

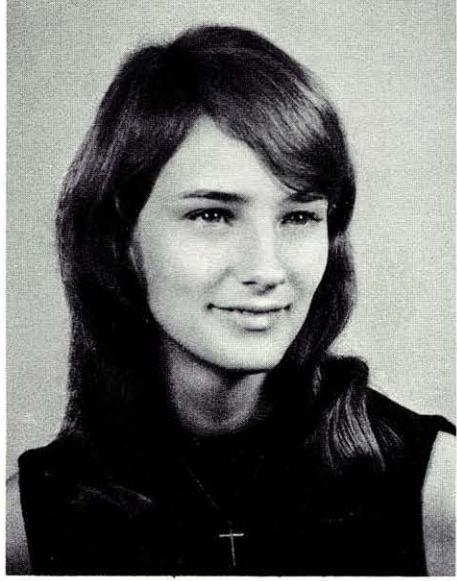
"All women are fools, but not all fools are women."

LINDA SUE OSTER

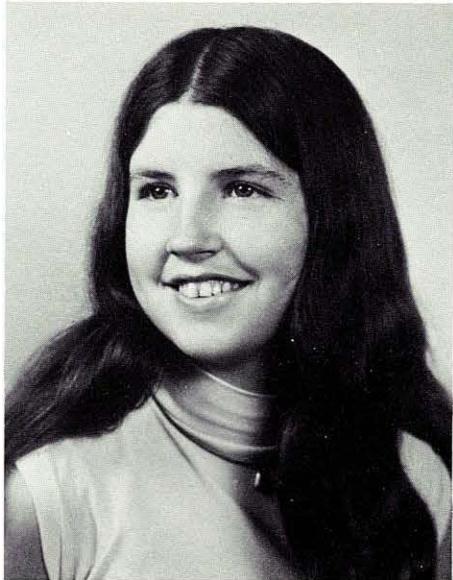


Class play 2,3,4; Falashbian 3.

Class officer 1; Class play 2,4;
Pep Club 1,2,3,4; FHA 4.



JAQUELYN SUE READD



FTA 2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4;
Class play 2,3,4; Fortress 4;
Falashbian 4.

REIDA FAYE RIGGLEMAN

"May we have those in our arms that we
love in our hearts."



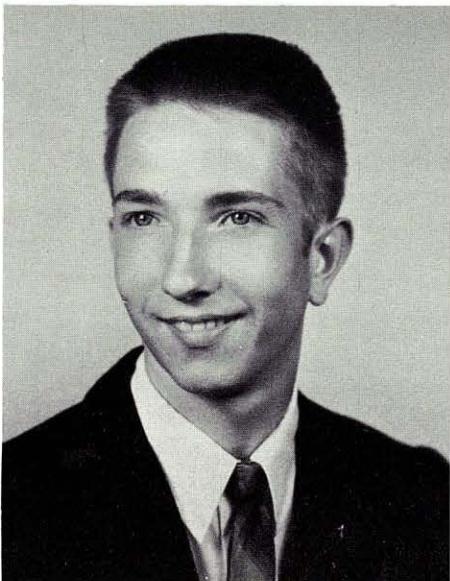
FHA 2,3,4; DECA 3; Class
play 3,4.

WILMA JEAN RITCHIE

"Women are smarter than men because
they know less and understand more."

"Your own burdens lighten if you lift
other's burdens."

JERROLD DOUGLAS ROTRUCK



FFA 3,4.

FHA 1,2,3,4; Class play 2,3,4;
Falashbian 3.



"Do what you do do well."

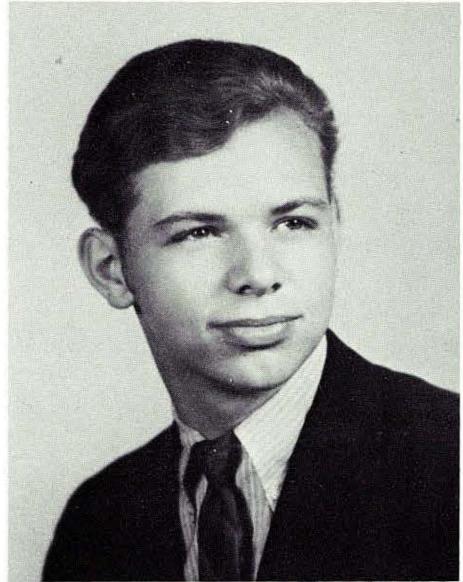
CATHERINE BANE SHREVE



FHA 1,2,3,4; Class play 2,3,4;
Pep Club 1,2; Fortress 4.

BARBARA ELLEN SMITH

Class play 2,4; Falashbian 4;
Fortress 4.



DANIEL DWIGHT SMITH

"Look toward the future and leave your
past behind."

"Companions of the wise shall be wise."

"Money can't buy happiness."

"Live and let live."

CHARLES RICHARD SNYDER



Class play 2,3.

FFA 3,4; Falashbian 4.

CHARLES WAYNE STAGGS





MOLLY LOU STEED

"Common sense in an uncommon degree
is what the world calls wisdom."

Pep Club 1,2,3,4; FHA 2,3,4;
Class play 2,3,4; Falashbian 3;
Citizen of Month 4.

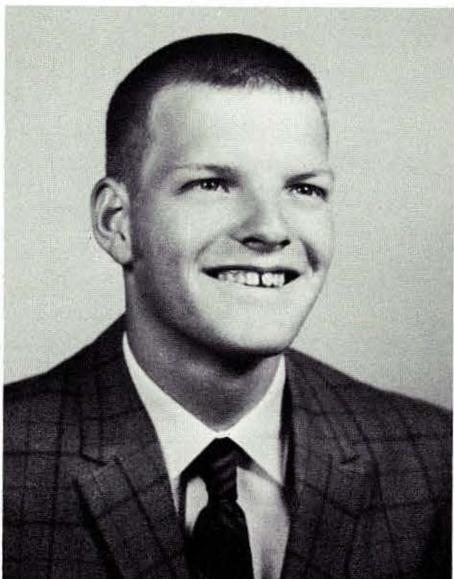


JERRY ALLEN THOMPSON

"If you like what you did today, do it
again tomorrow."

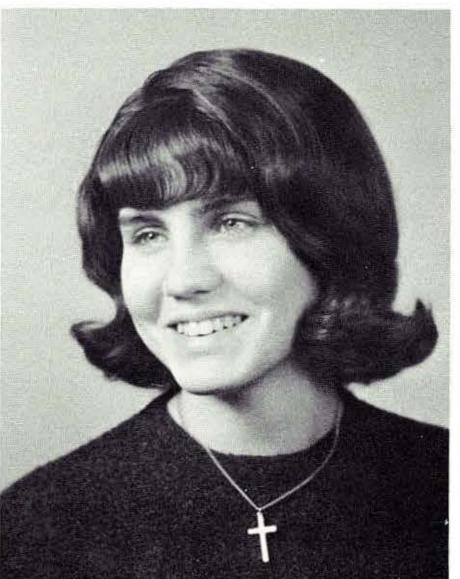
"Smile and the whole world smiles with
you; frown and you frown alone."

ROY SAMUEL TWIGG



Class officer 1.

Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Class play
3,4; FHA 4; Fortress 4;
FBLA 4.



NANCY JEAN WELCH

"That which costs the least and does the
most is just a friendly smile."

Pep Club 1,2,3,4;
Class play 2,3,4;
Cheerleader 1.



LINDA GERTRUDE YAIDER

"Greater love hath no man than this, that
a man lay down his life for his friends."

SENIORS '71

Class Colors:

Midnight Blue
and
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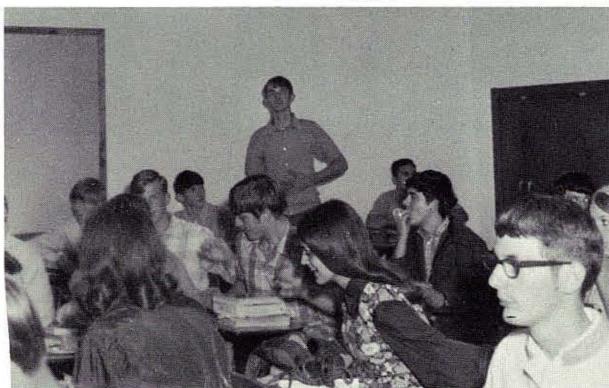
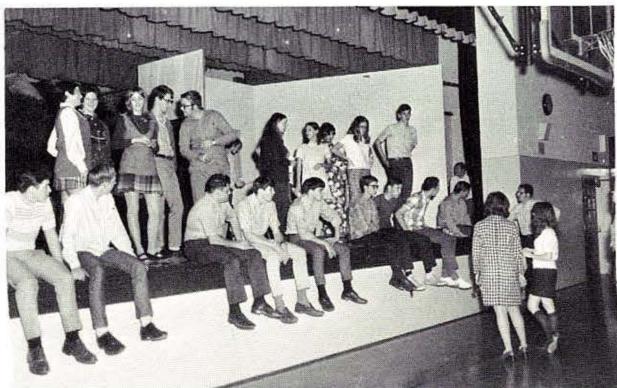
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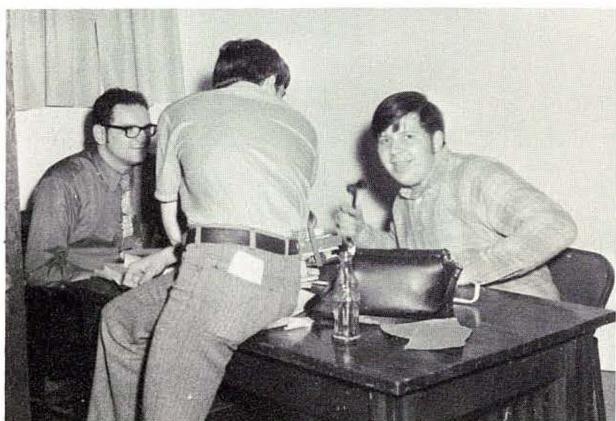
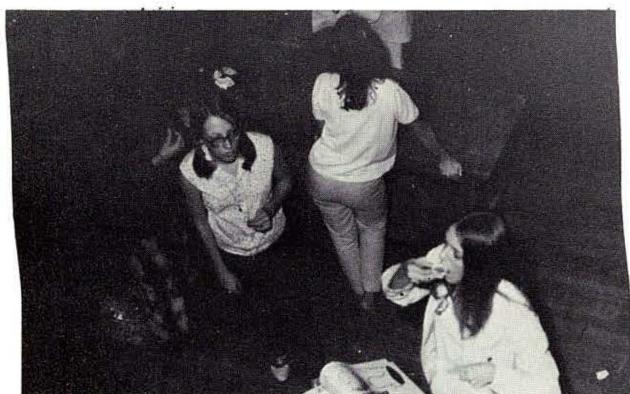
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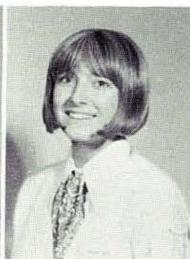
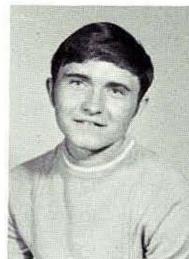
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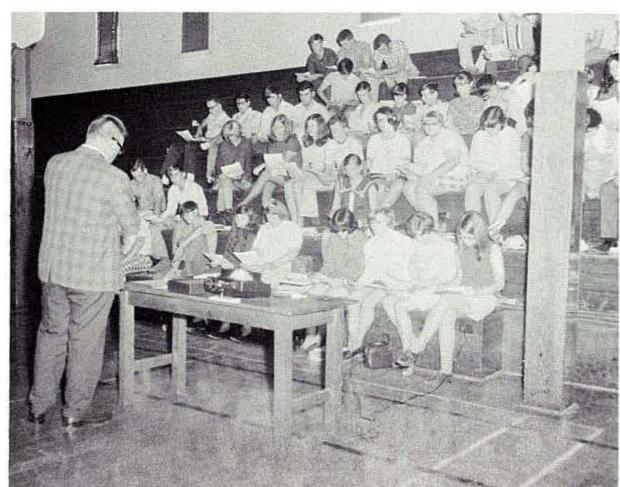
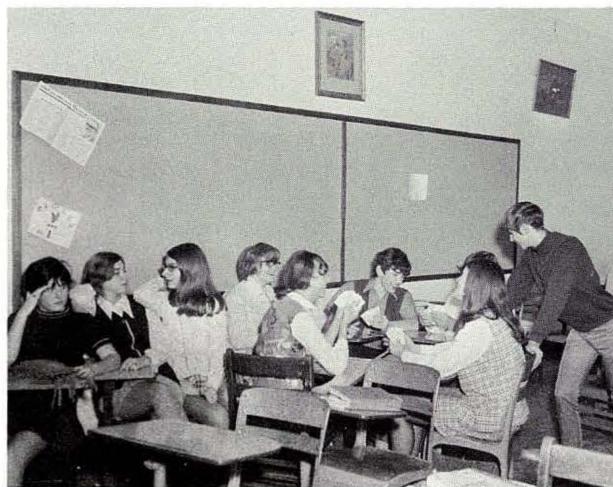
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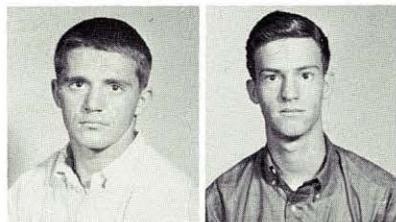
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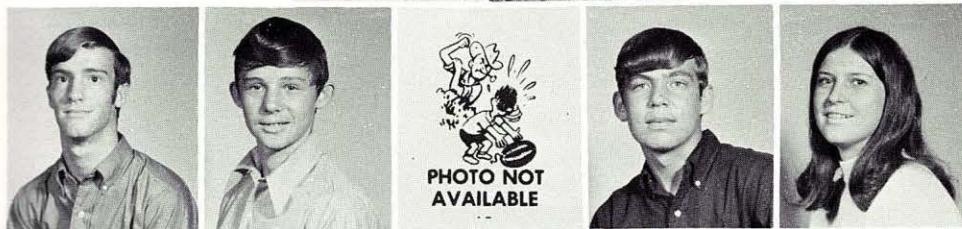
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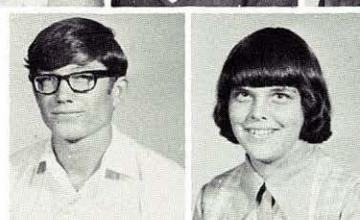
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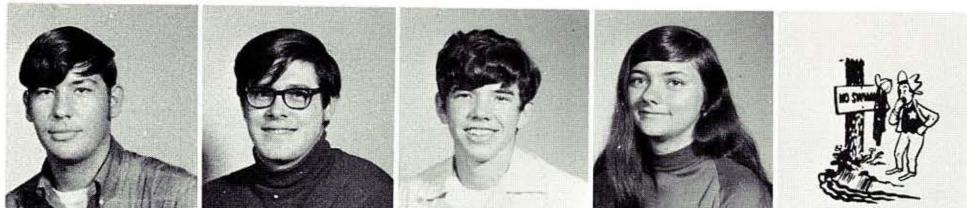


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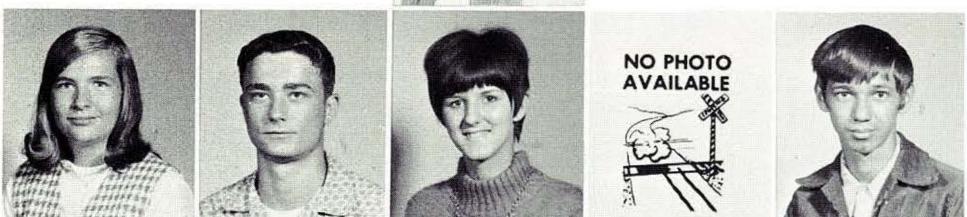
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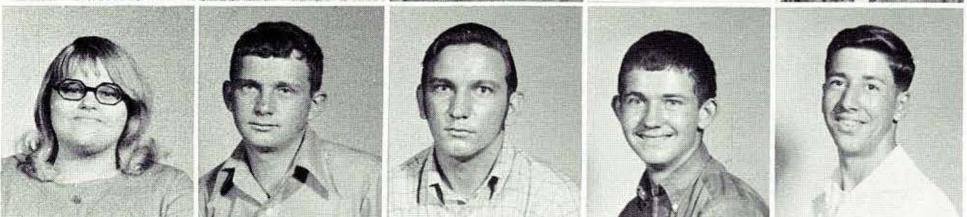
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Mr. Ron Richardson spoke with the Juniors early this fall about selecting their class rings.

Junior Activities

The Juniors made approximately \$400 this year in their sale of magazines.





Junior



Snaps



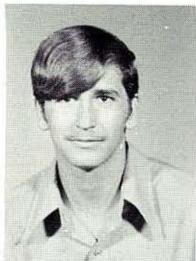
The Juniors of 1971 are of special interest to the Seniors of 1971, because it is within this class that the Seniors find out about themselves. For instance, if a senior wants to know what he did the night before, he can just ask a Junior. He Knows!



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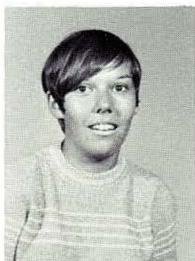
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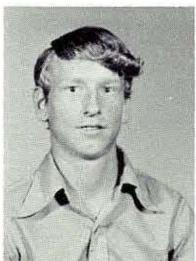
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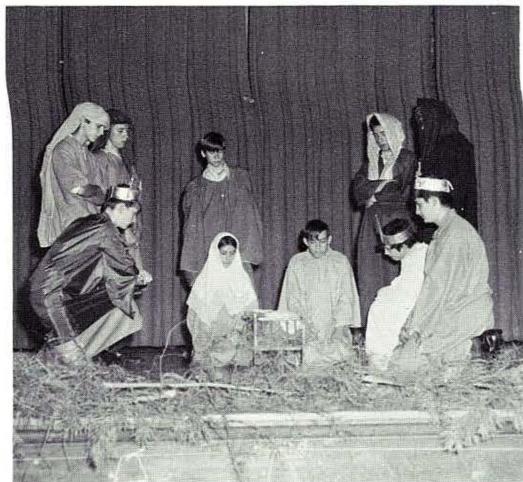
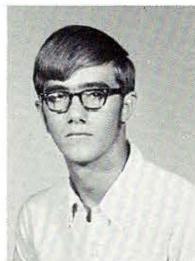


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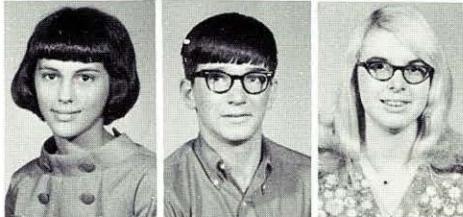


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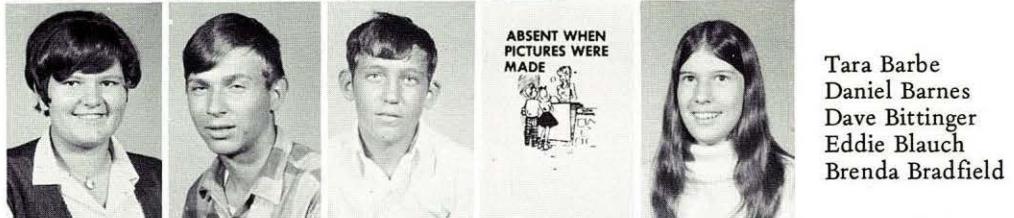




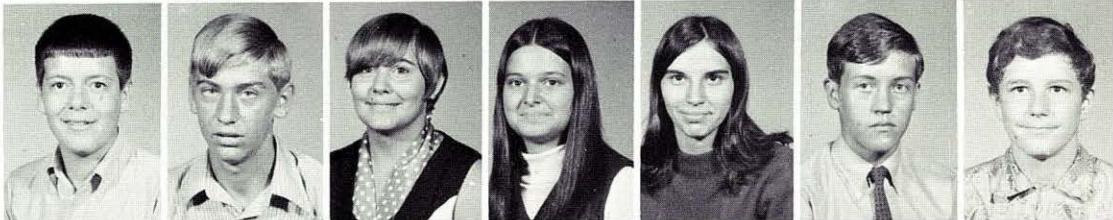
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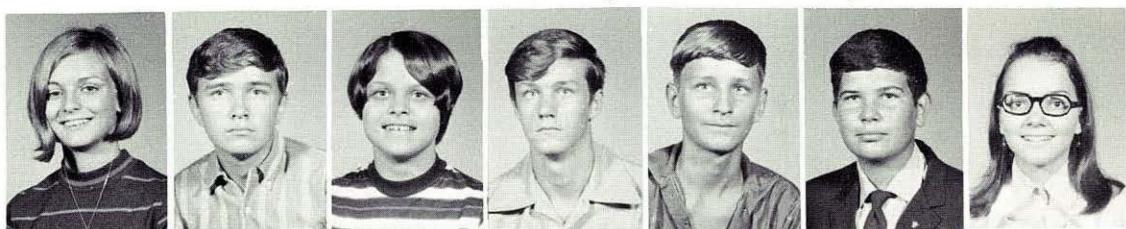
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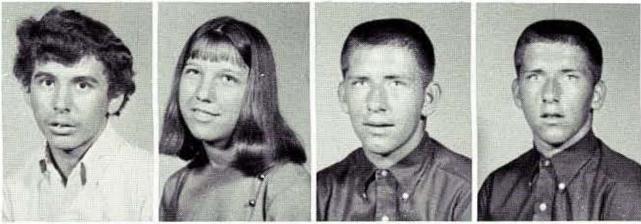


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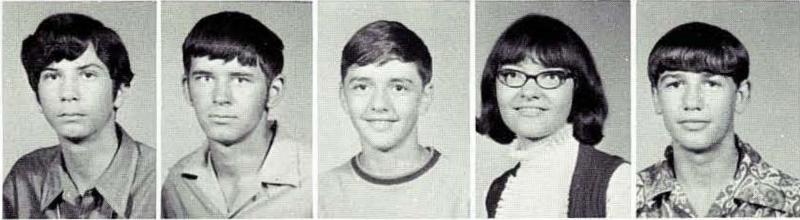


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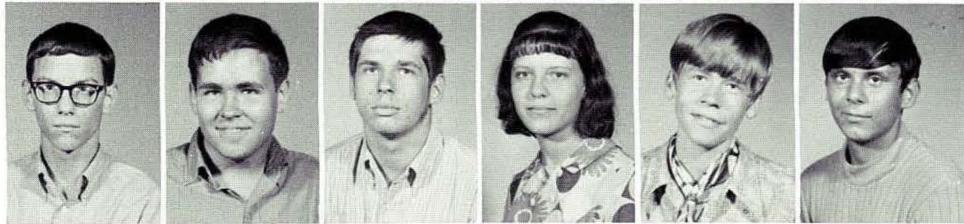
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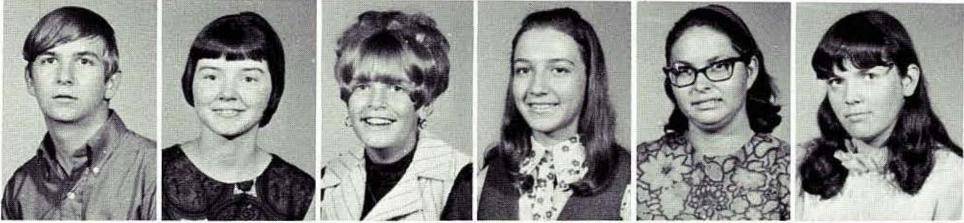
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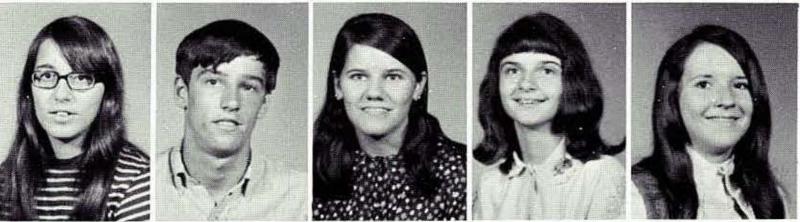
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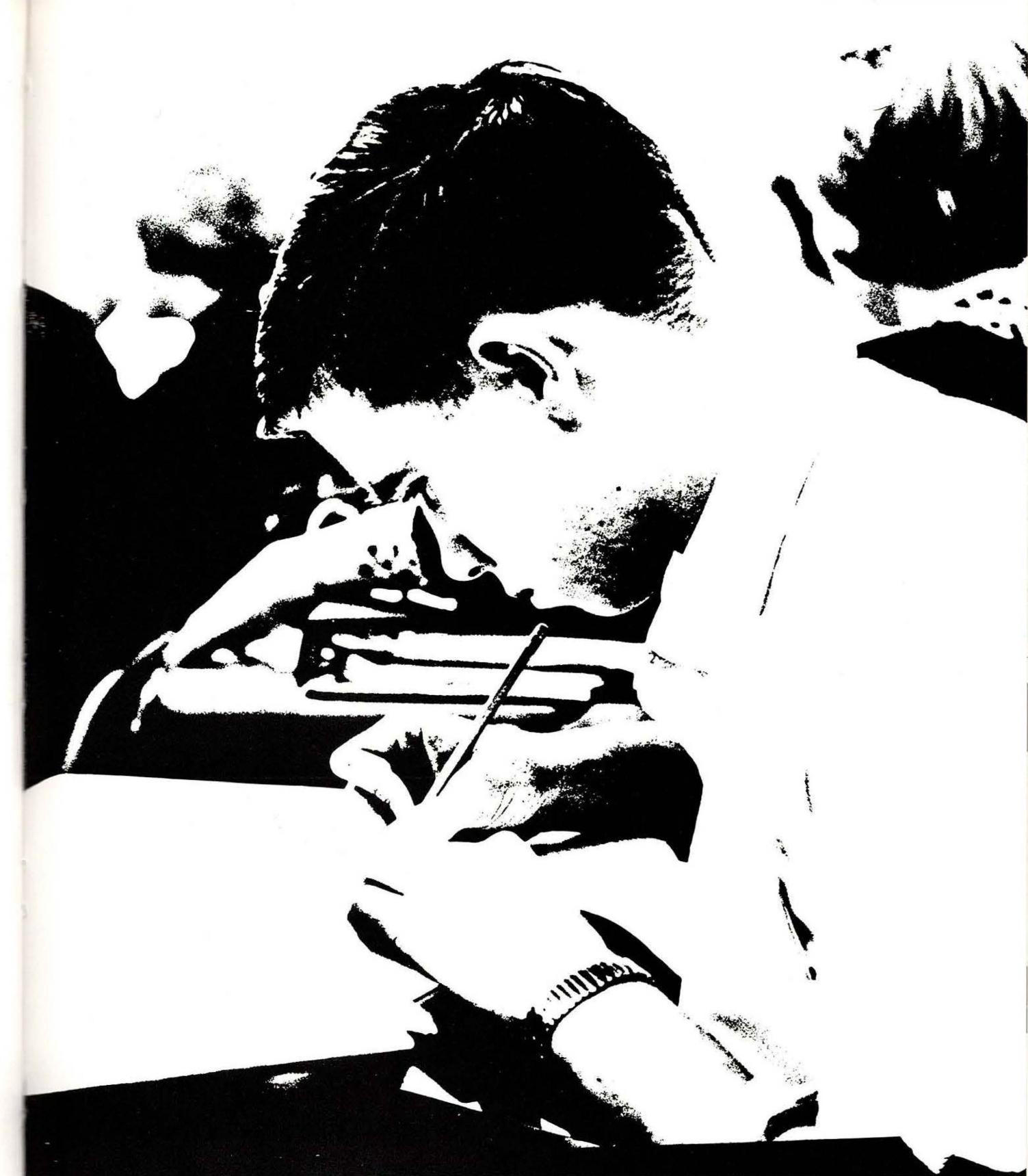


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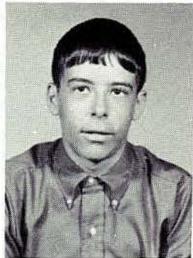


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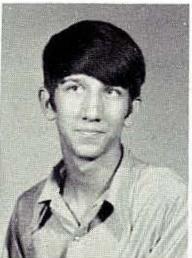


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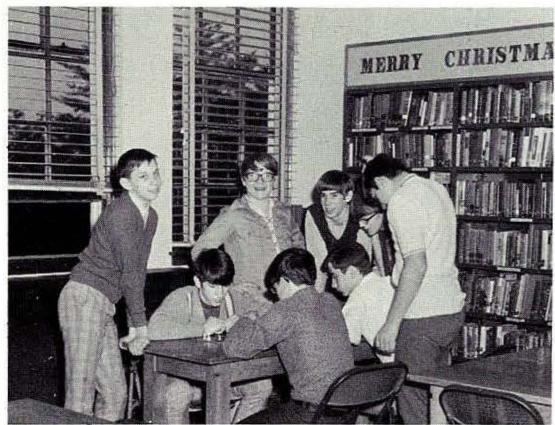
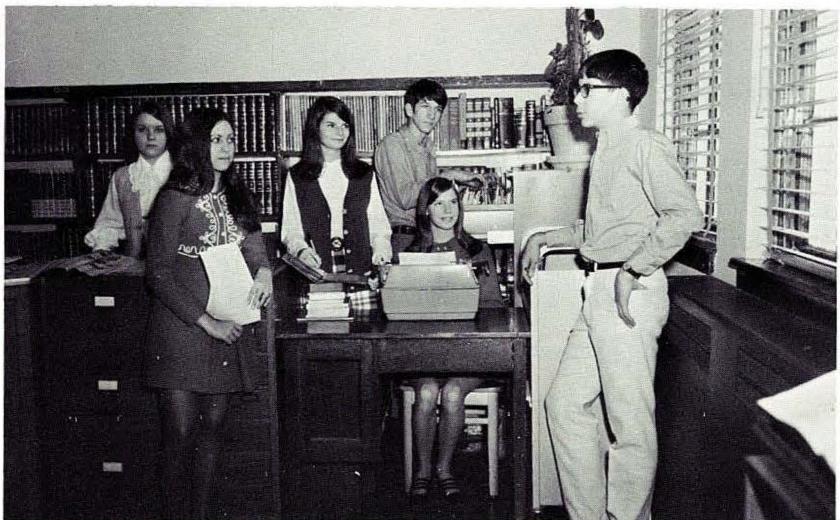
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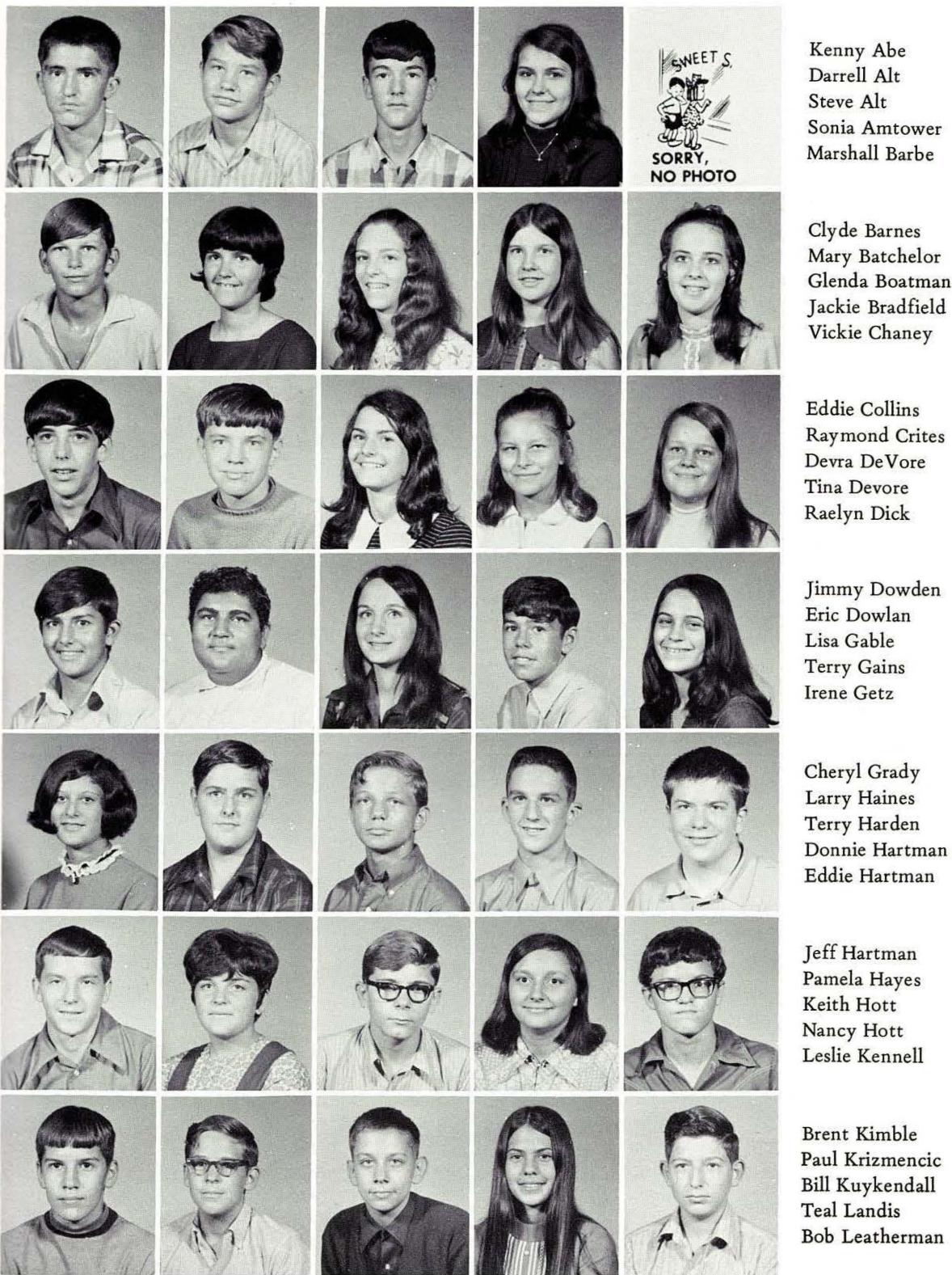


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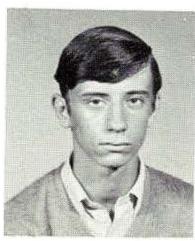
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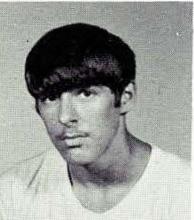
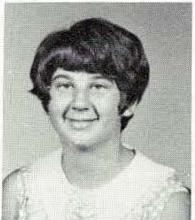
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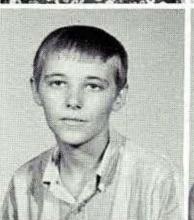
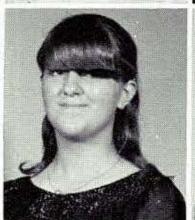
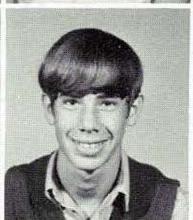
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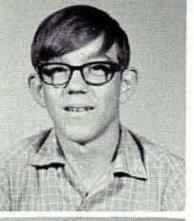
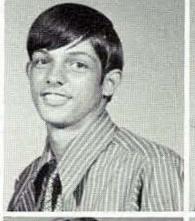
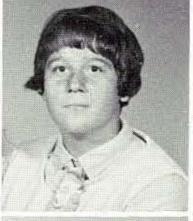
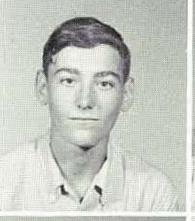
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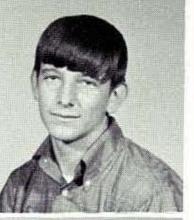
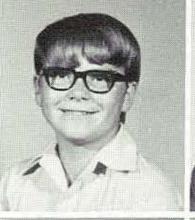
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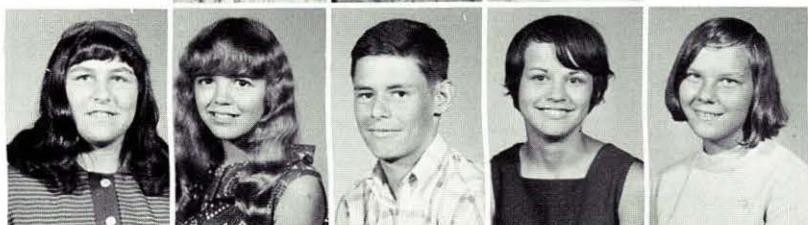
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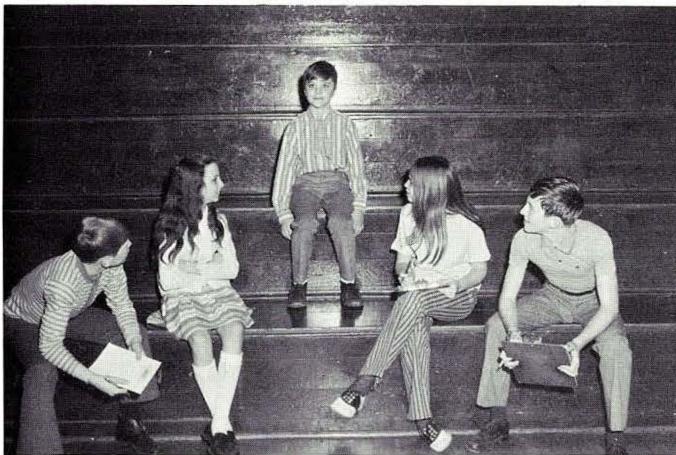


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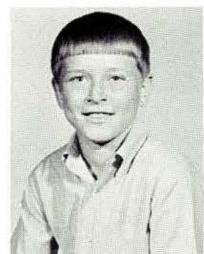
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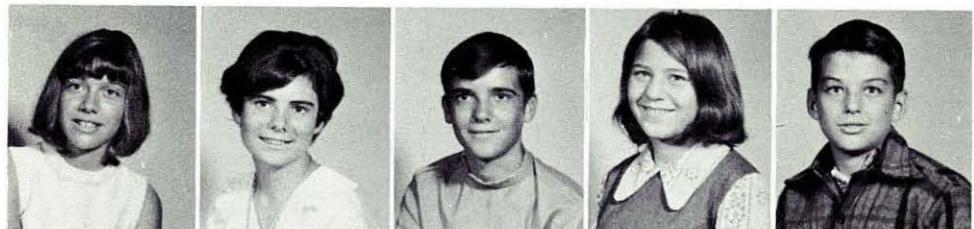


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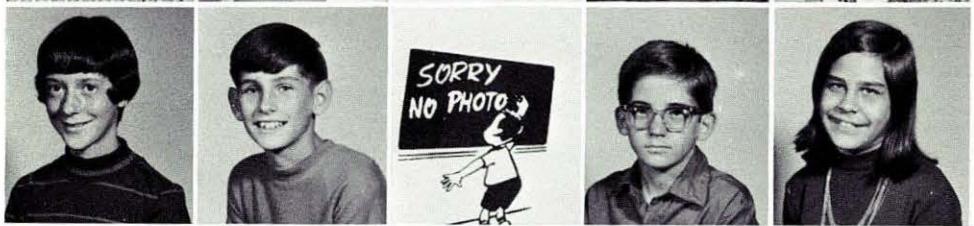
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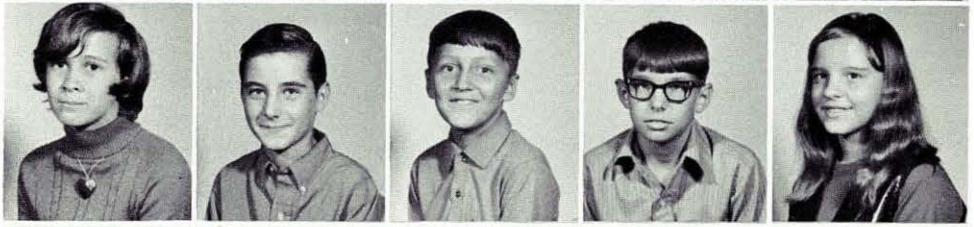
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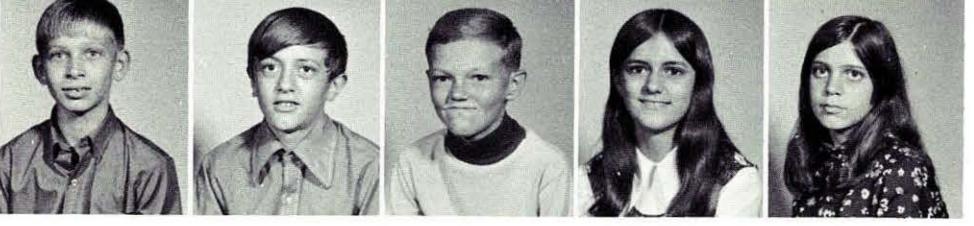
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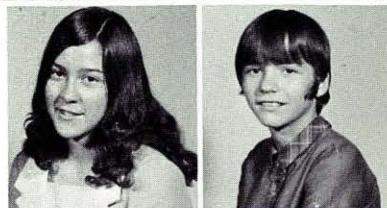


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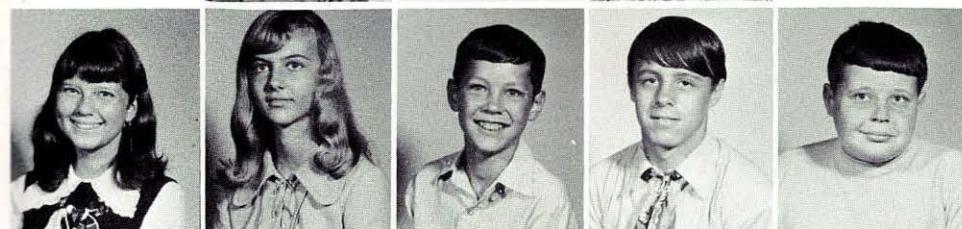
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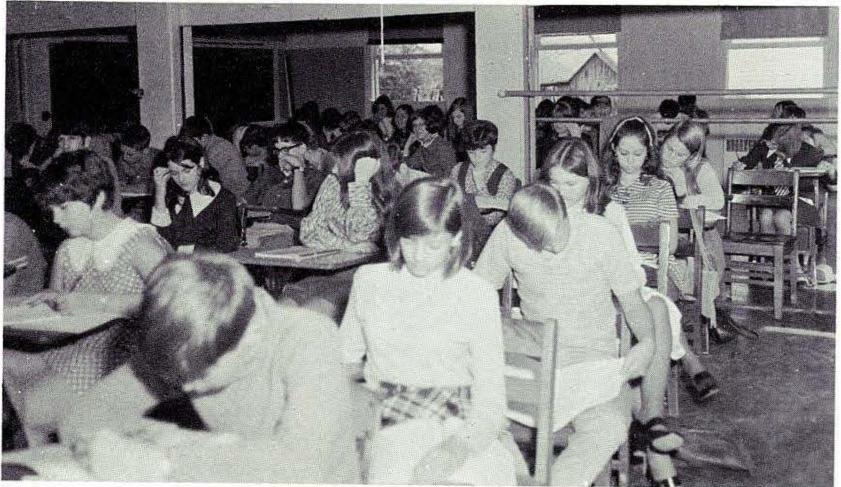
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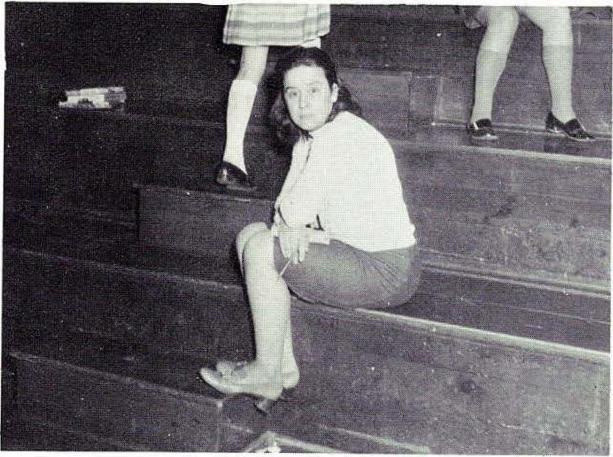
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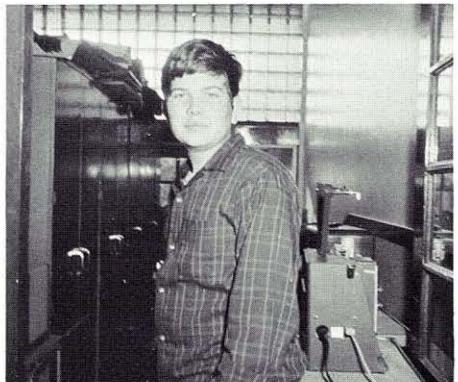
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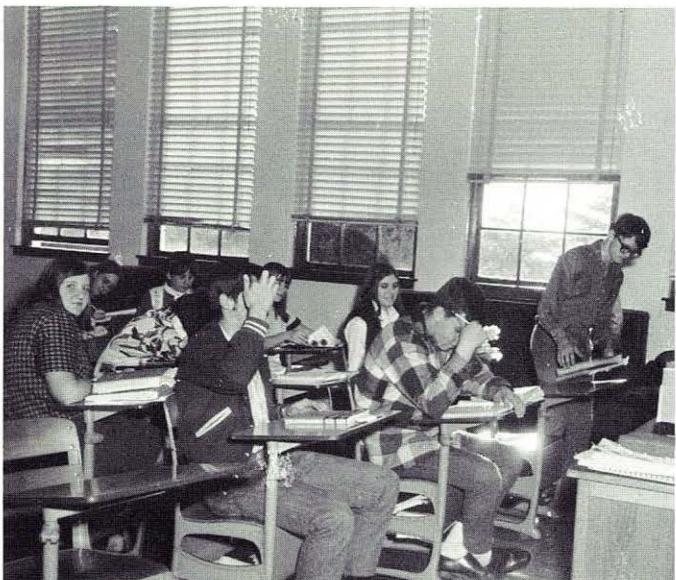
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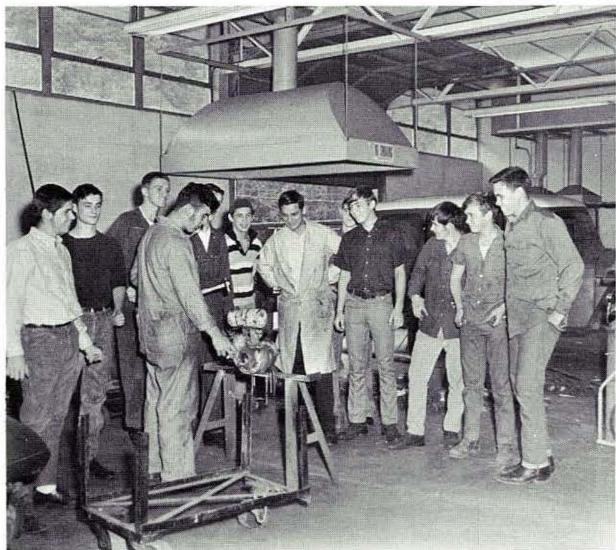
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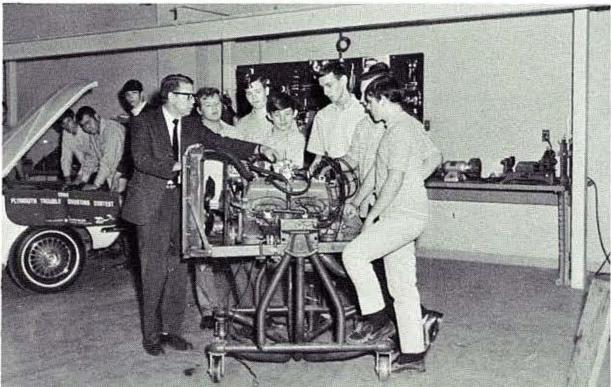
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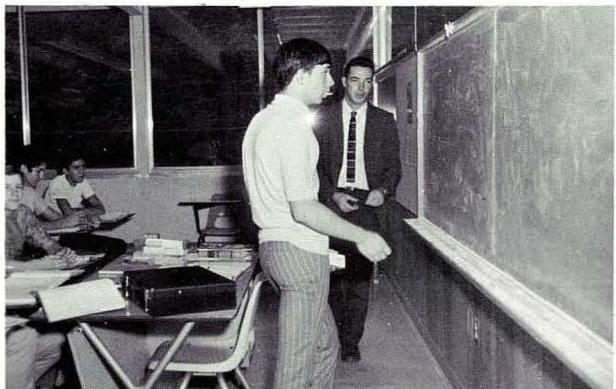


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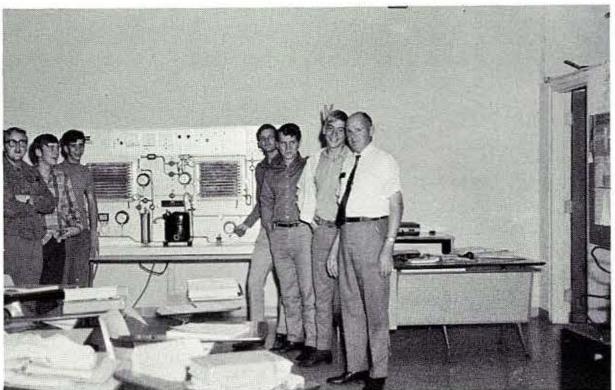
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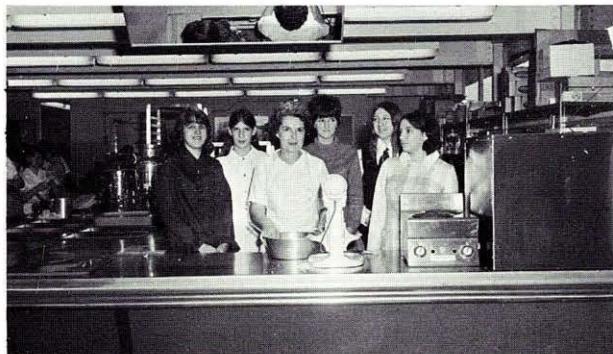
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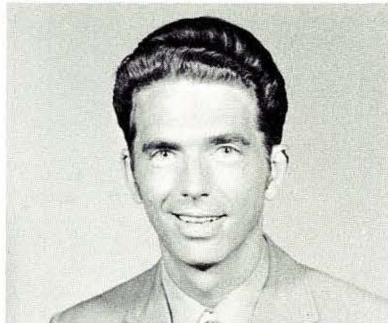


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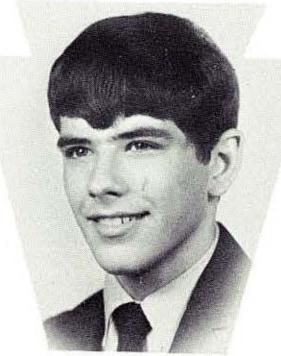
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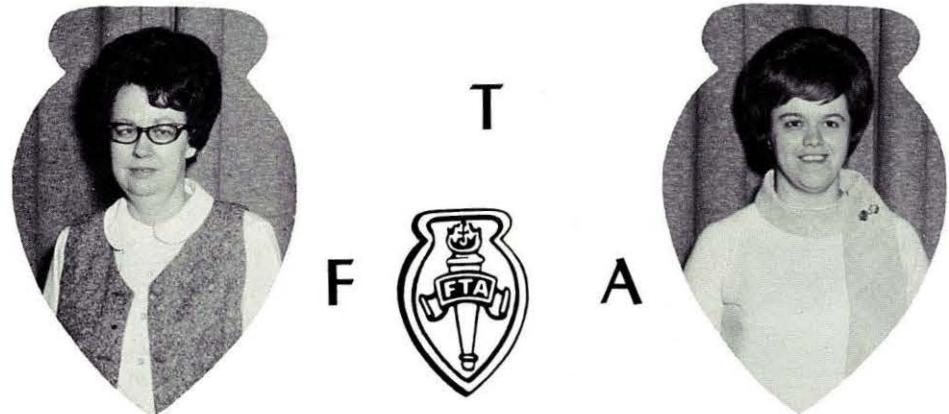
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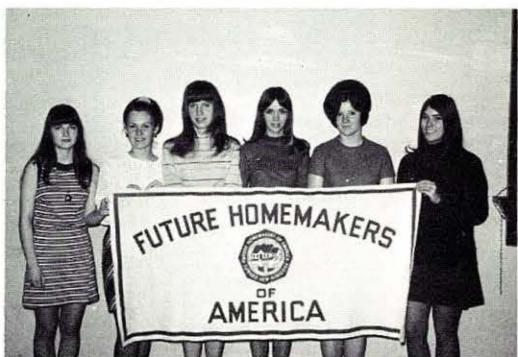
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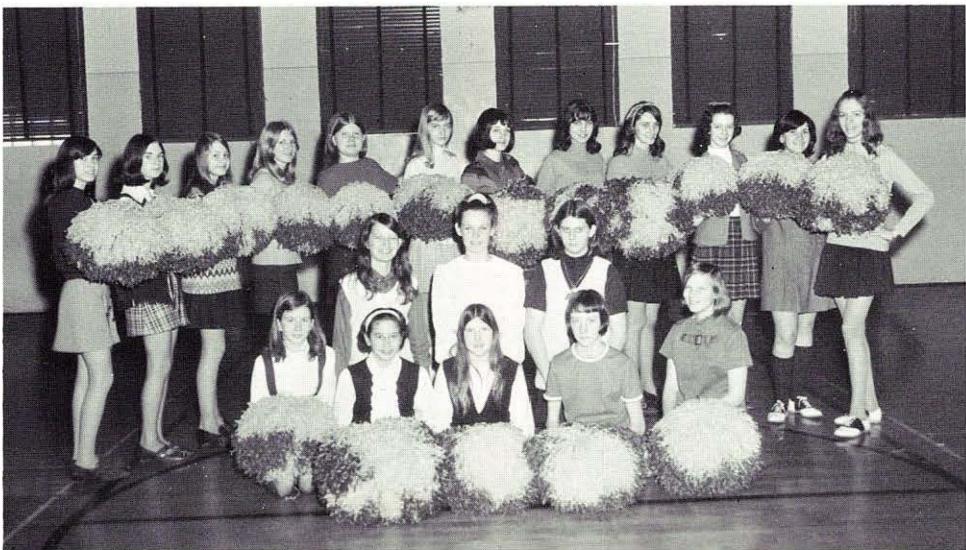
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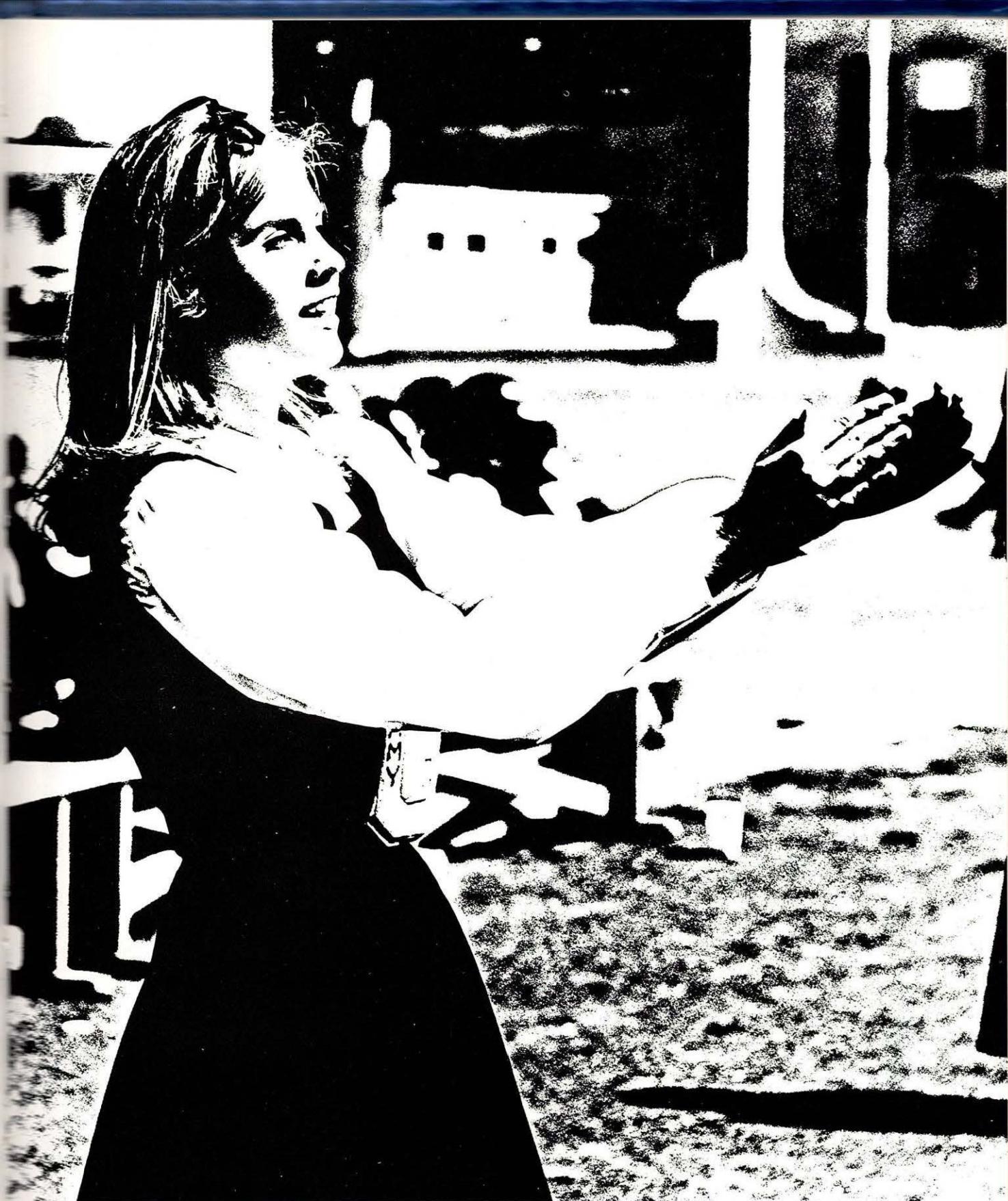
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Athletics . . . Sally Wagoner and Steve Brafford



Advisory Board—(Left to right)—First row—Miss Ansel, Miss Self, Mrs. Mason, Mrs. Athey
Second row—Mr. Moore, Mr. Miller, Mr. Sayers, Mr. Dye, and Mr. Riley



ACTIVITIES

First Fortress Staff Meeting—Fall of 1970

The 1971 Fortress Staff conducted its first real meeting early in the fall.

Mr. Ron Richardson, our representative from Taylor Publishing Company, attended the meeting to help us choose the overall type of yearbook we wished to publish.





Thanksgiving Assembly





Future Teachers of America—Informal Initiation



Future Homemakers of America—Informal Initiation



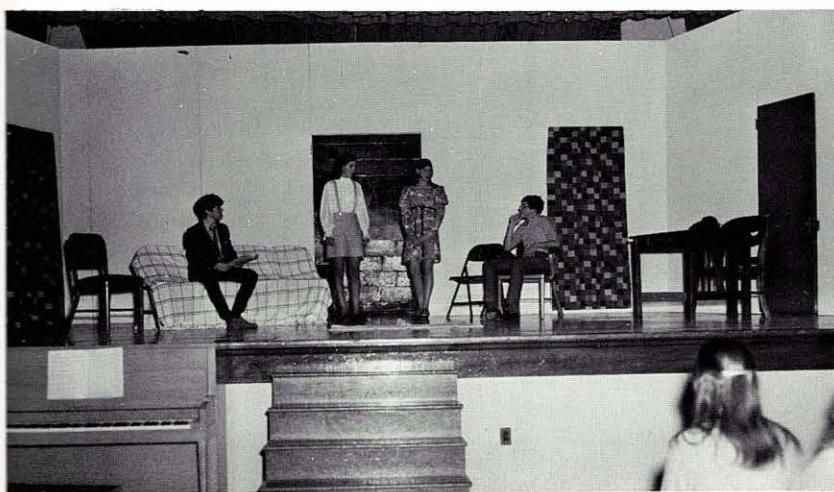
Parent-Teacher Association's Halloween Party



Future Teachers of America—Formal Initiation



Future Homemakers of America—Formal Initiation



National Education Week Assembly



Queen Ceres XXI

Autumn Ball



Queen Ceres XXI and her court.



Music was supplied by the Misfits Part II.



Coach Quentin Sayers crowns Devra DeVore Queen Ceres XXI.



Darrin Wolford was crown bearer.



Flower girls were Anita and Melissa Lark and Nadine Nestor.

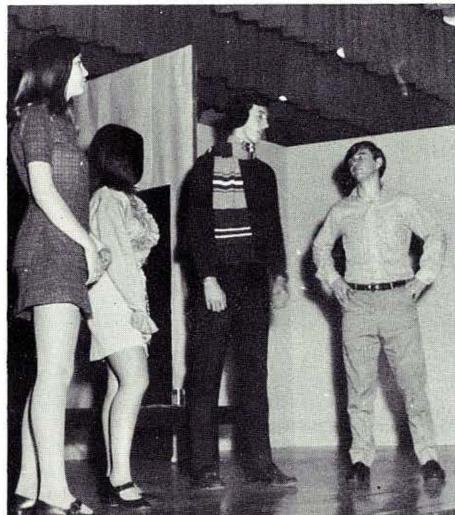
Senior Class



The Senior Class provided the school with a lot of laughs by presenting, "If That's Where It's at Baby, I'm Not Going!" The leading roles were portrayed by Robin Dohrman as Go Go Gibson and Terry Bradfield as Prescott Rutherford III.



Play



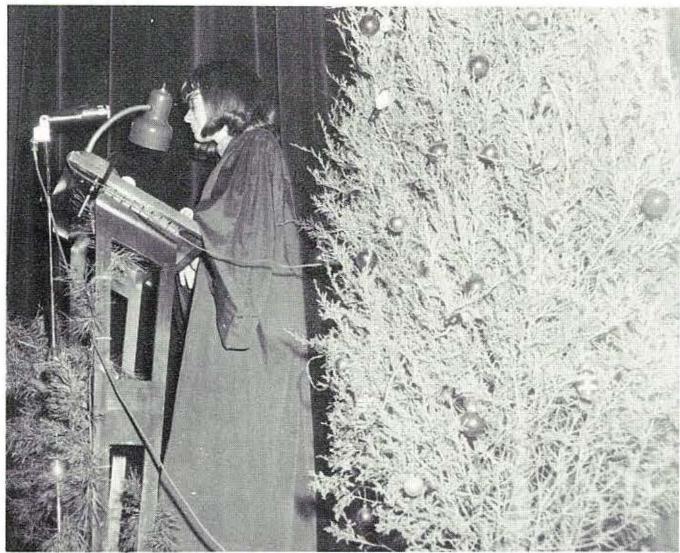
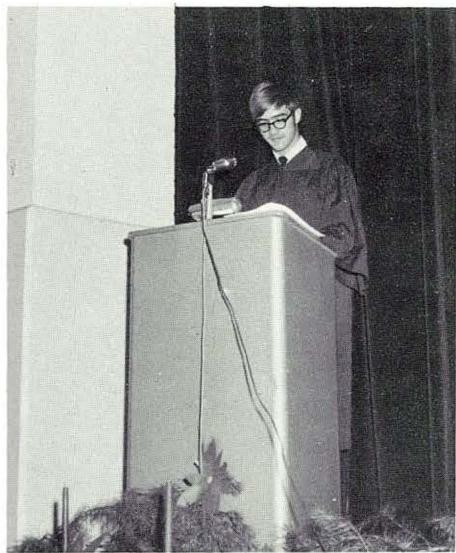
Go-Go Gibson, a bright and aggressive senior at PRU, decides to organize other unsuspecting students for a strike to put the small, forgotten college into news headlines. Their strike brings college operations to a standstill and the frustrated Dean resigns, only to re-enlist as a graduate student and lead his own strike!



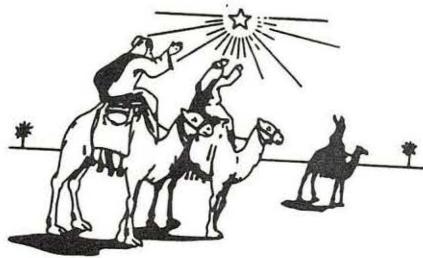
Halloween Party

College Day





Christmas Assembly





**Miss LuAnne Moreland—
Sweetheart Queen**



The Regents furnished the music for the Sweetheart Dance.



Mr. Marker crowned LuAnne Sweetheart Queen.

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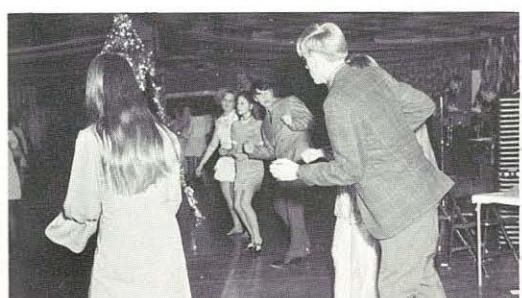
2nd—Molly Steed; 3rd—Diane Kimble; 4th—Cindy Bradfield; 1st—Robin Dohrman.



Bonnie Dohrman and Daryl Bosley were flower girl and crown bearer.



All the candidates took a break from decorating.



The dance was swinging, but it was over too soon.





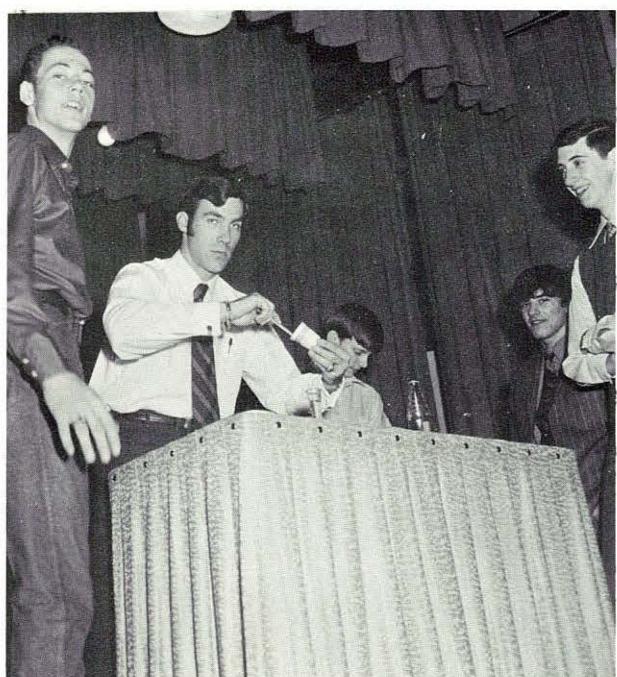
Brian Moreland seems to be going on another one of his trips.



Mr. Eiden creates an interest of all by having a type of scientific orgy.



Mike Morris gives us an example of one of our almighty seniors.



Terry, Mike, Steve and Curt seem to keep their distance while Mr. Eiden mixes the potion.

Science Assembly



ATHLETICS

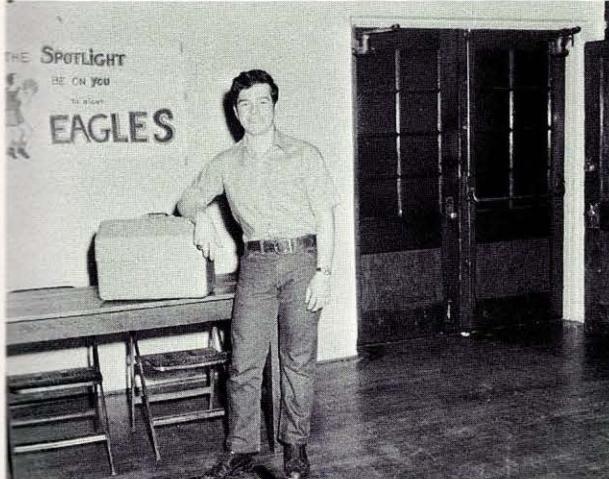
Eagles



Left to Right: First Row—Rodney Brelsford, Donnie Hayes, Doug Brelsford; Second Row—Rick Wagoner; Third Row—Terry Brelsfore; Fourth Row—Roy Miltenberger, Brian Moreland, Ronnie Kenney; Fifth Row—Lantz Evans; Sixth Row—Steve Brafford, Terry Bradfield, Mike Kuykendall



COACH SAYERS



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Junior High: Jeff Adams

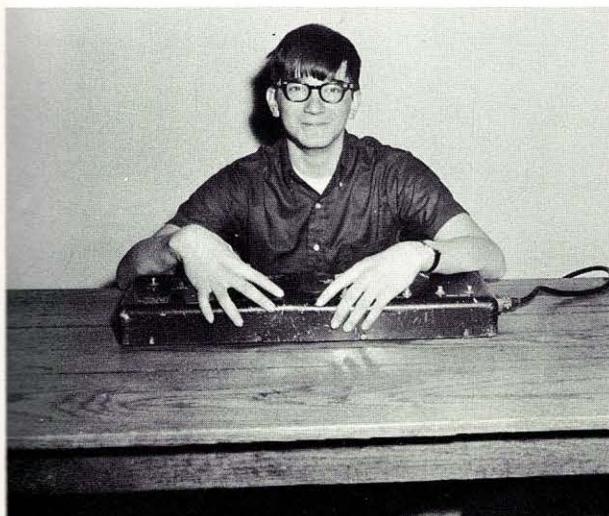
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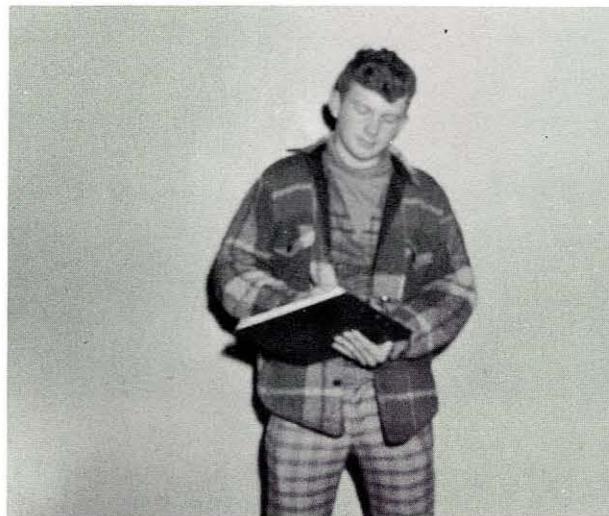
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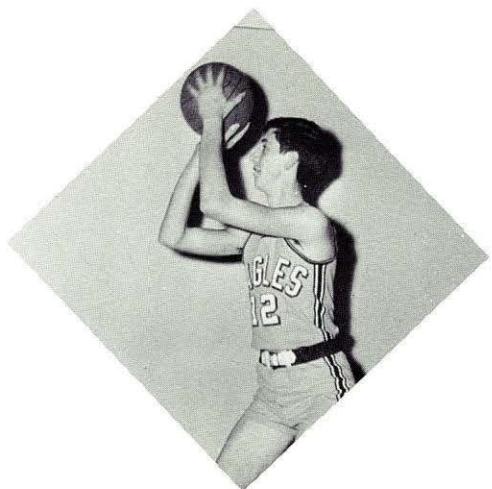
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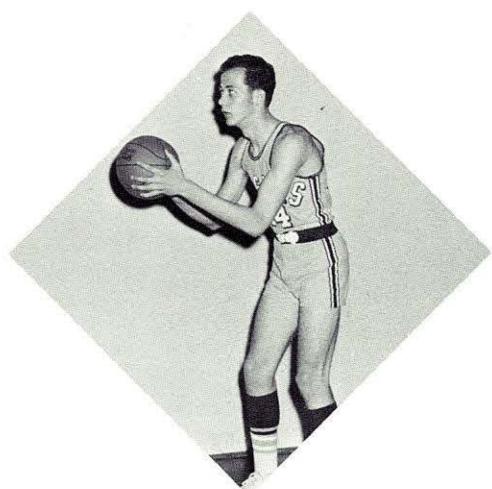


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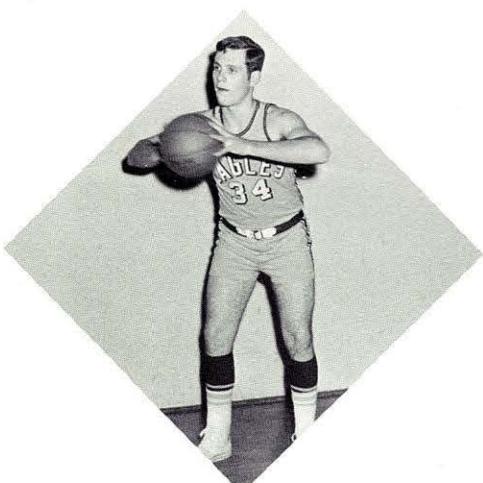


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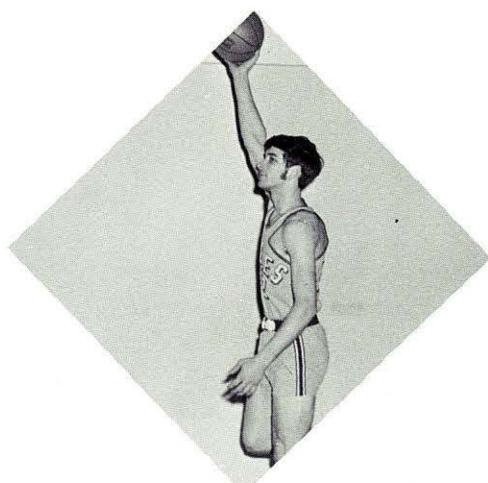
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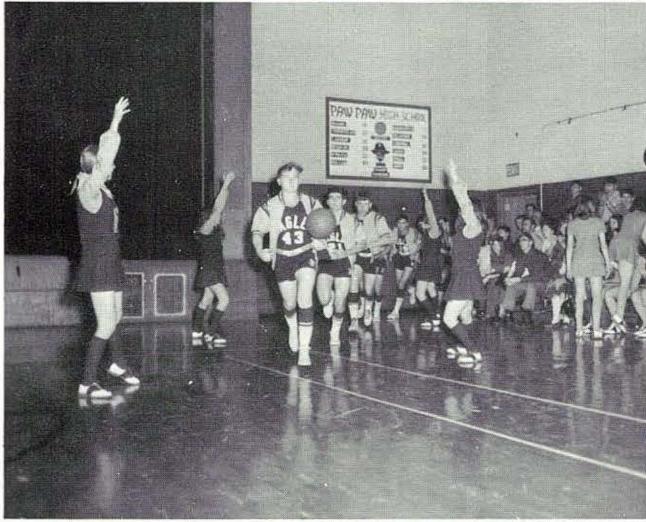
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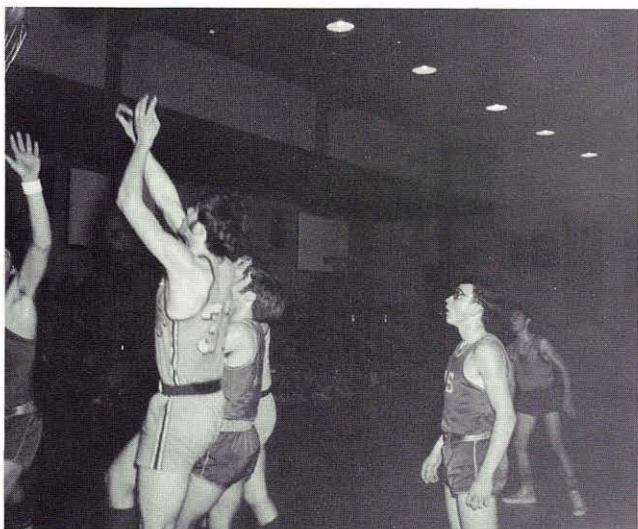


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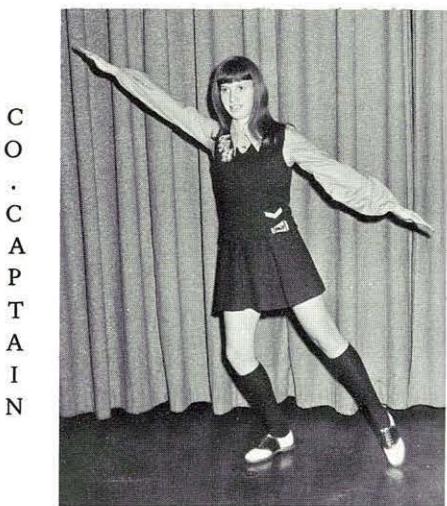




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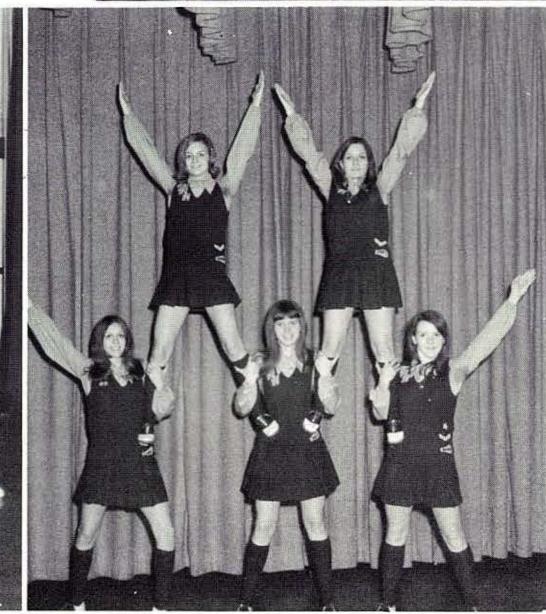
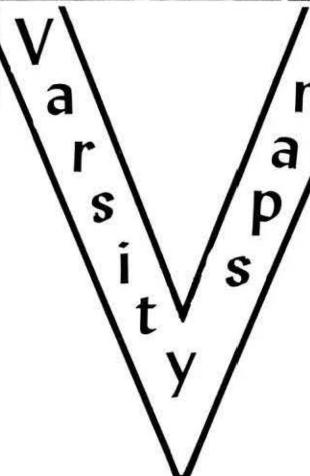
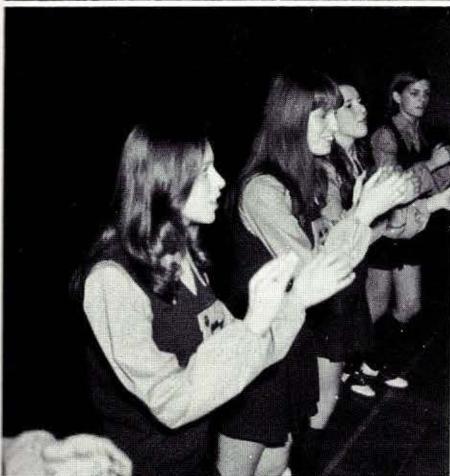
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Junior Varsity



Left to Right: Eddie Blauch, Randy Blauch, Donnie Kimble, Curtis Moreland, Bill Umstot, Tony Gable, Mike Harden, Terry Brelsfore, Roy Miltenberger, Doug Oates, Jim Seeders, Ronnie Kimble, Rick Wagoner, Ray Miller, Kenny Long.



COACH RILEY



Left to Right: Front Row—Jeff Lechliter, Marty Kesner, Bobby Nelson, Russell Devore; Second Row—Daryl Bosley, Joe Riley, Steve Smith, Craig Wagoner, Mark Smith



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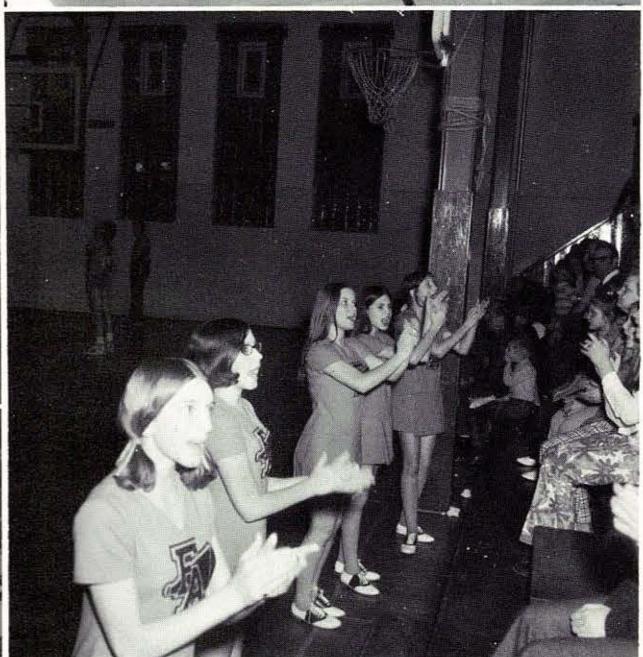
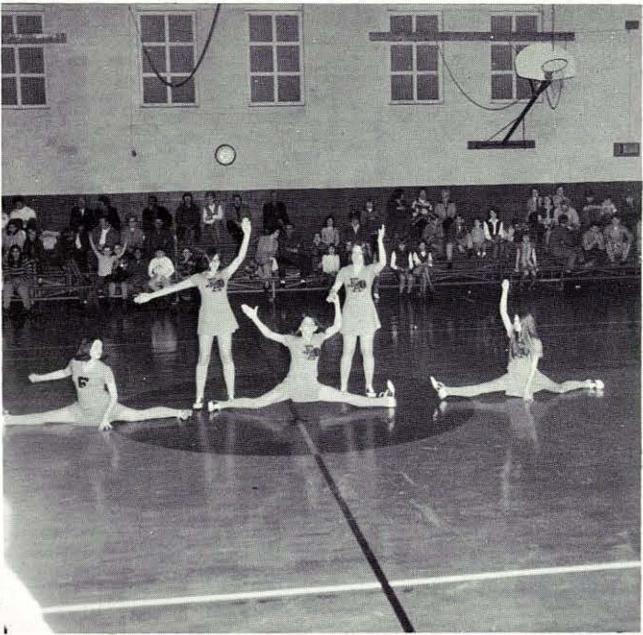
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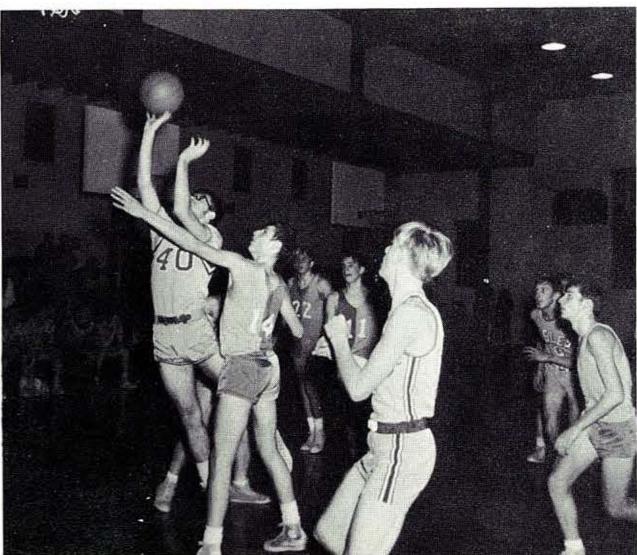
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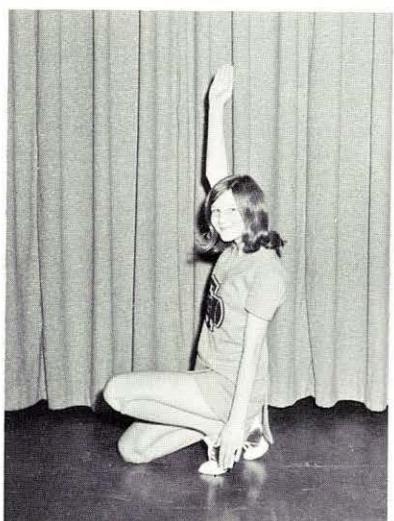
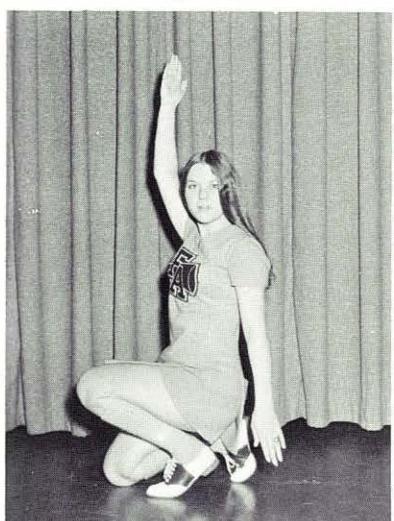


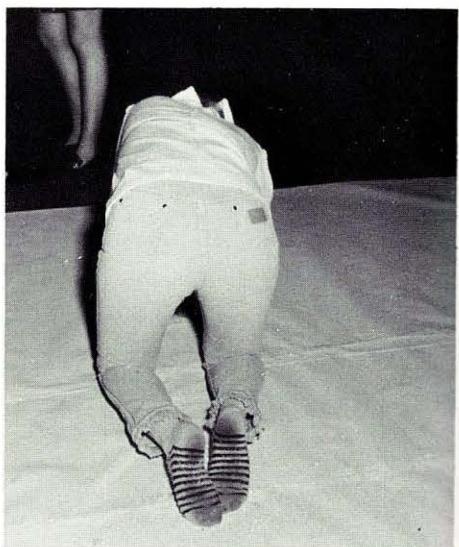
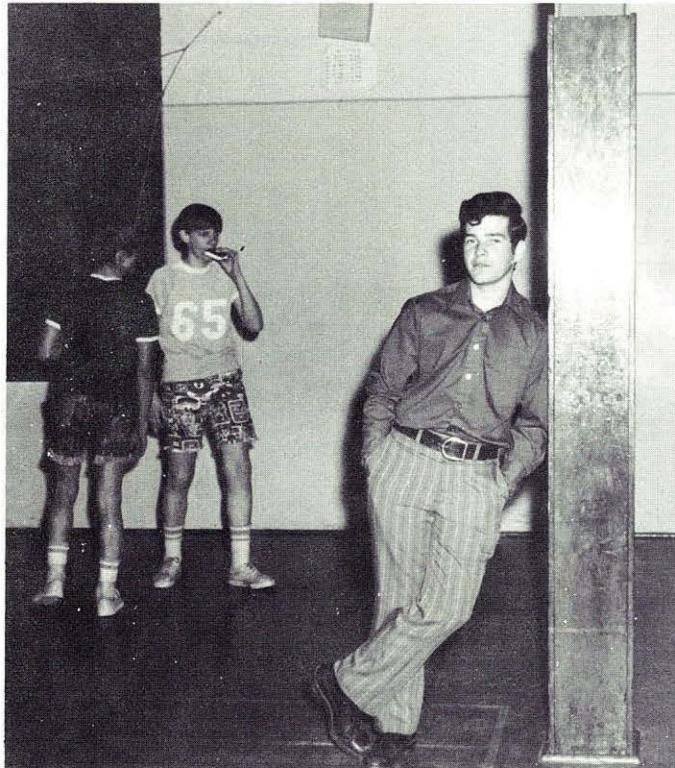
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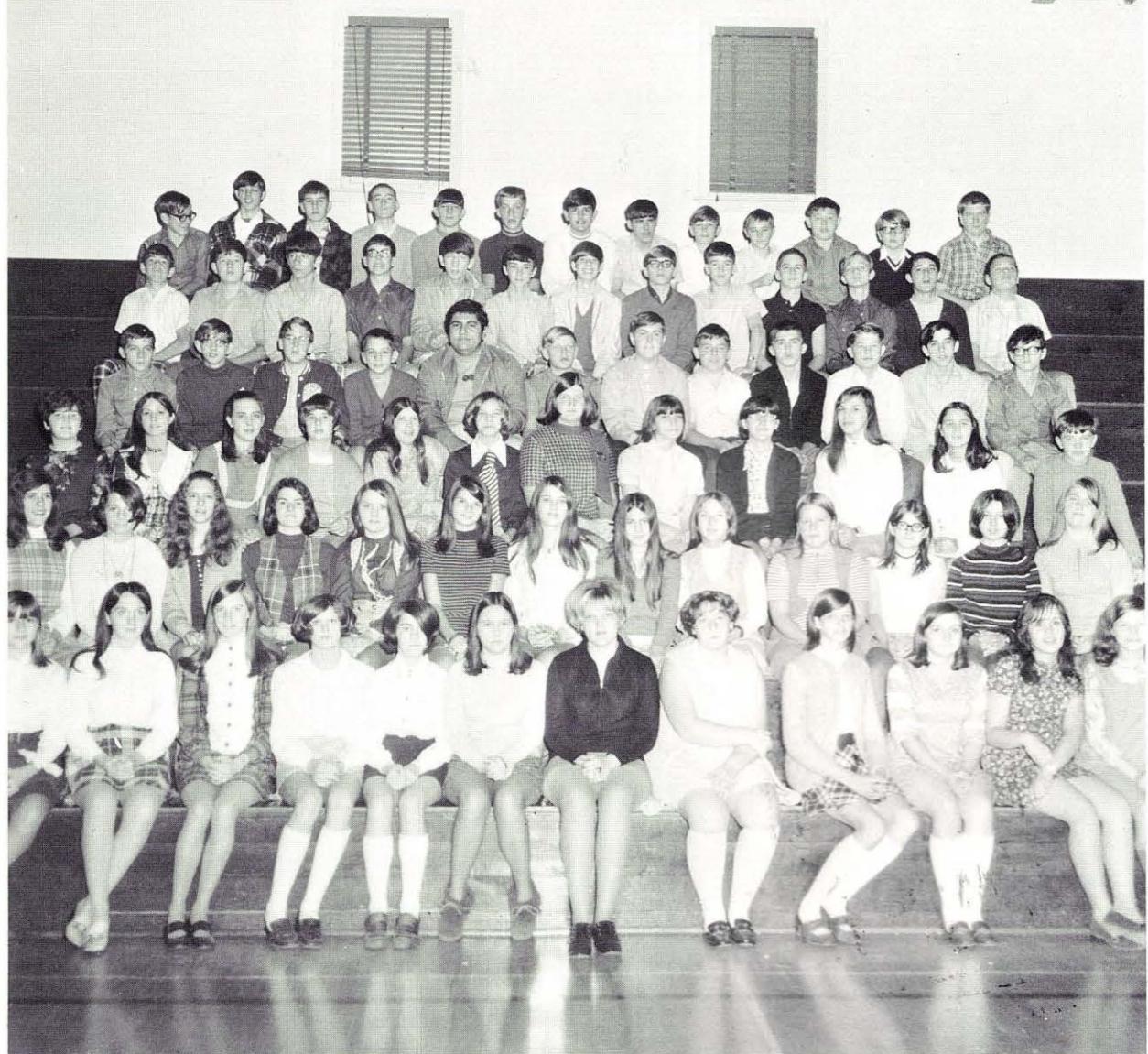
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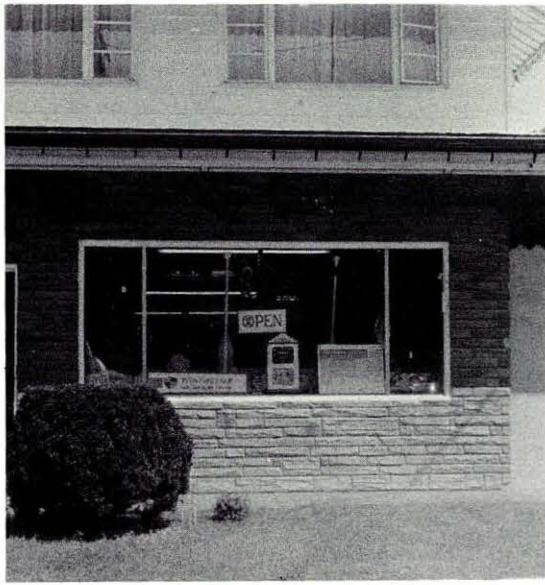
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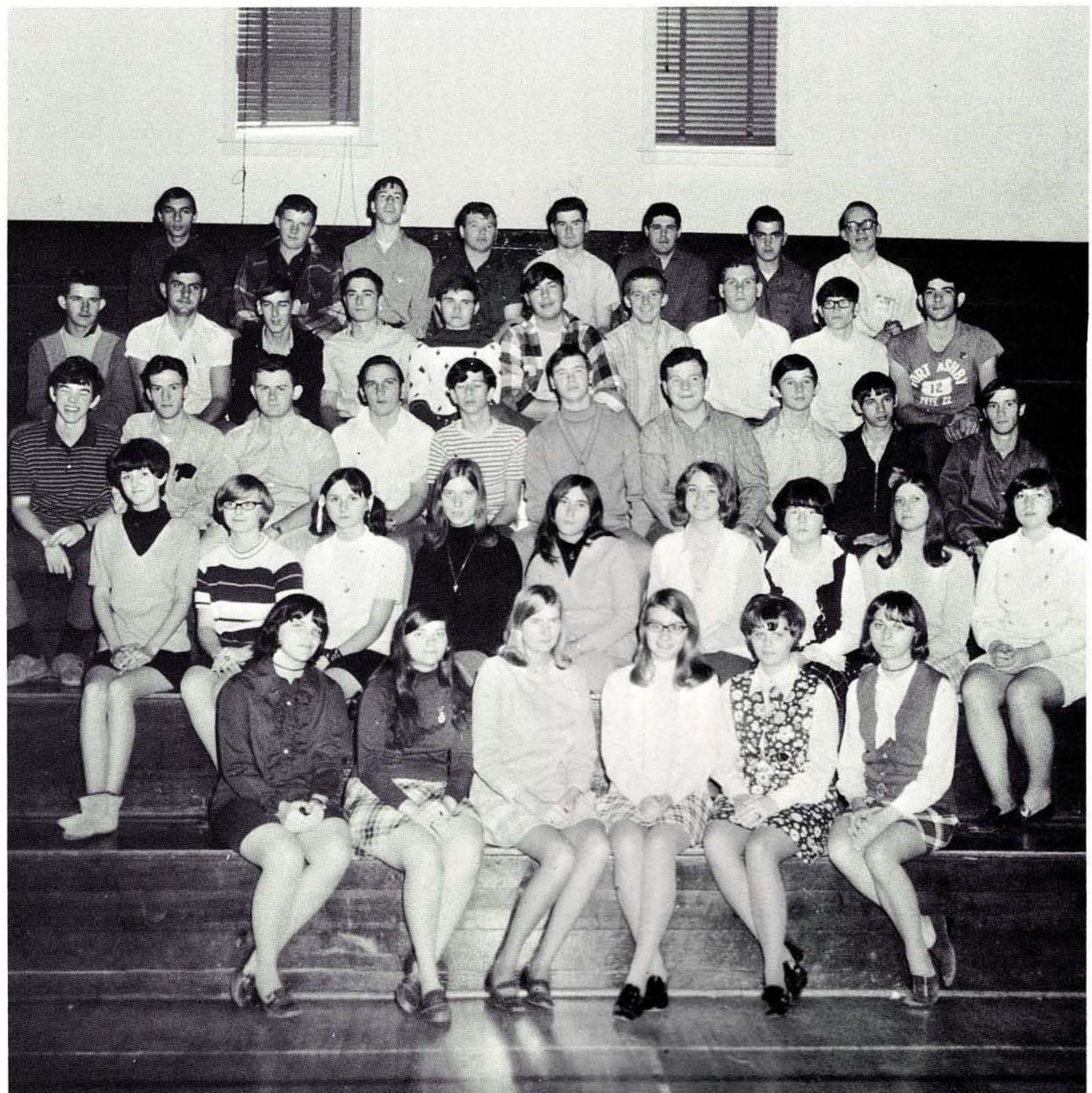
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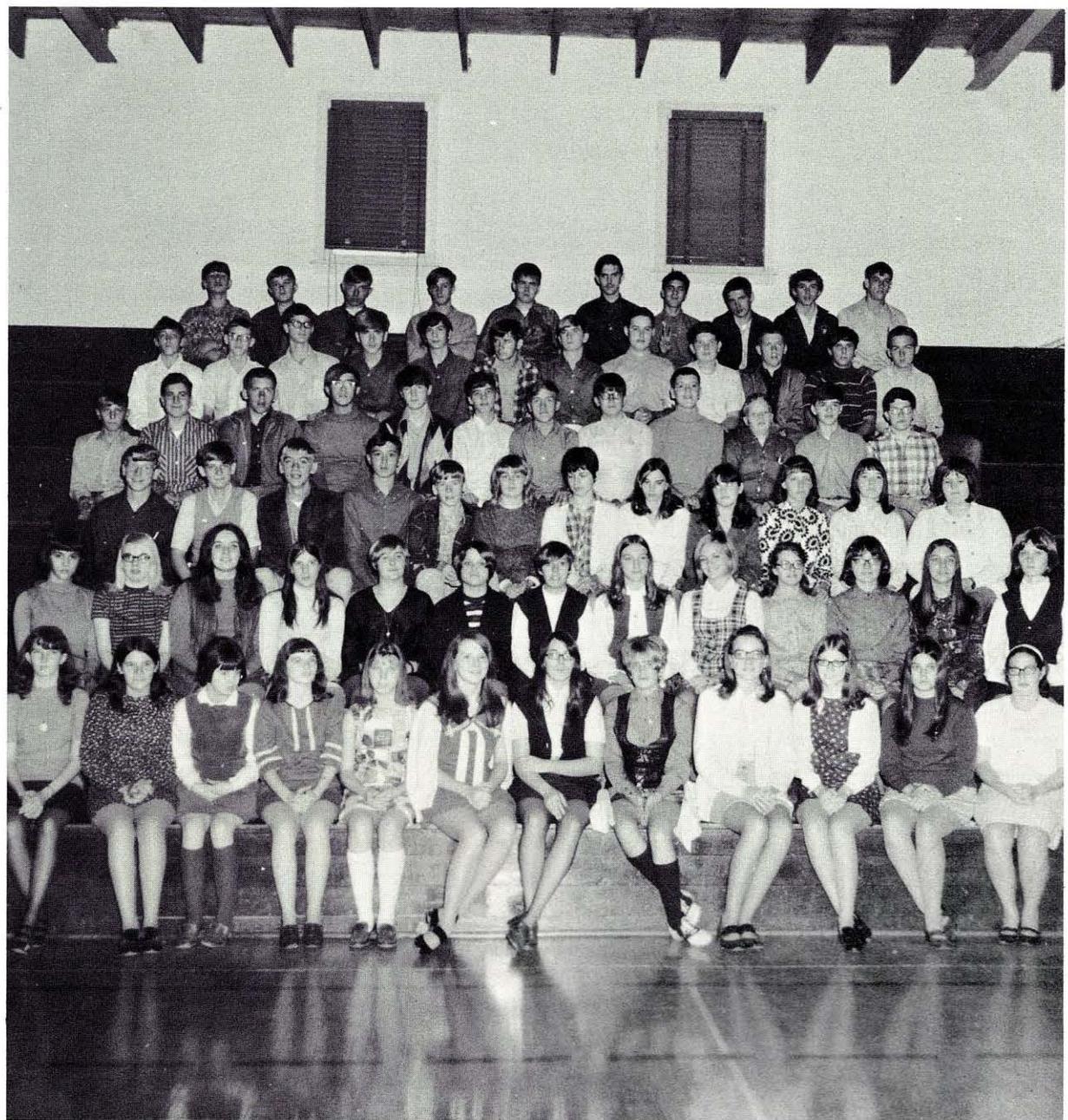
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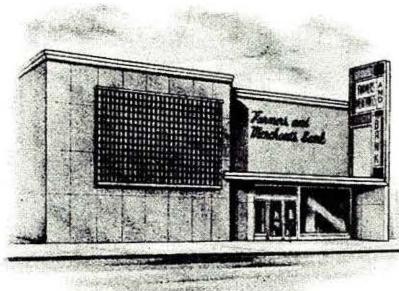
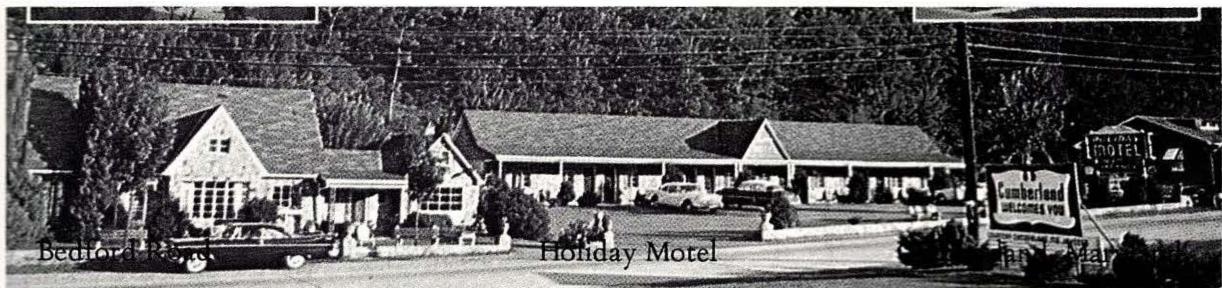


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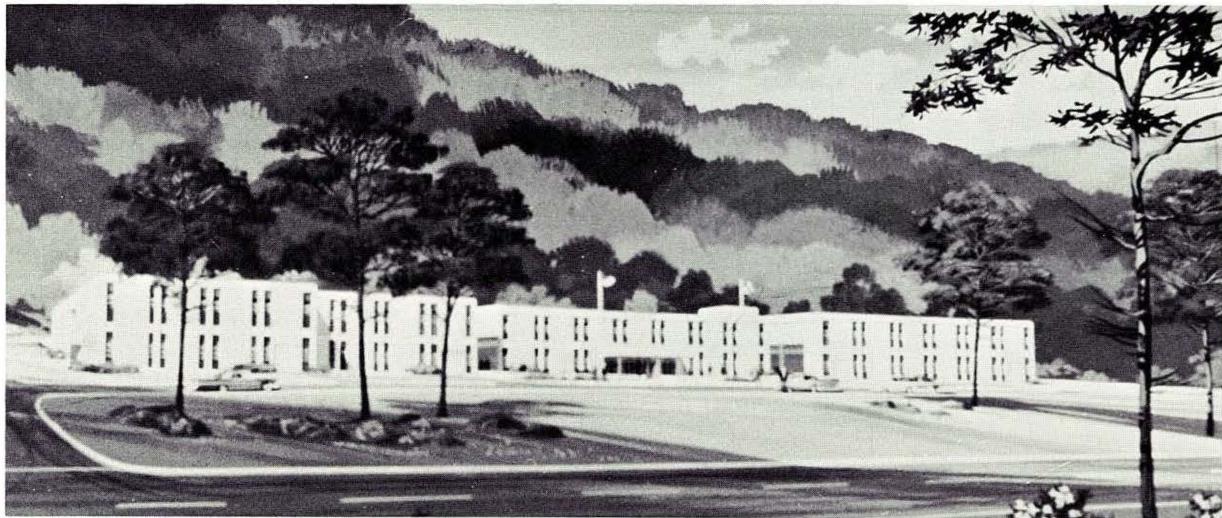
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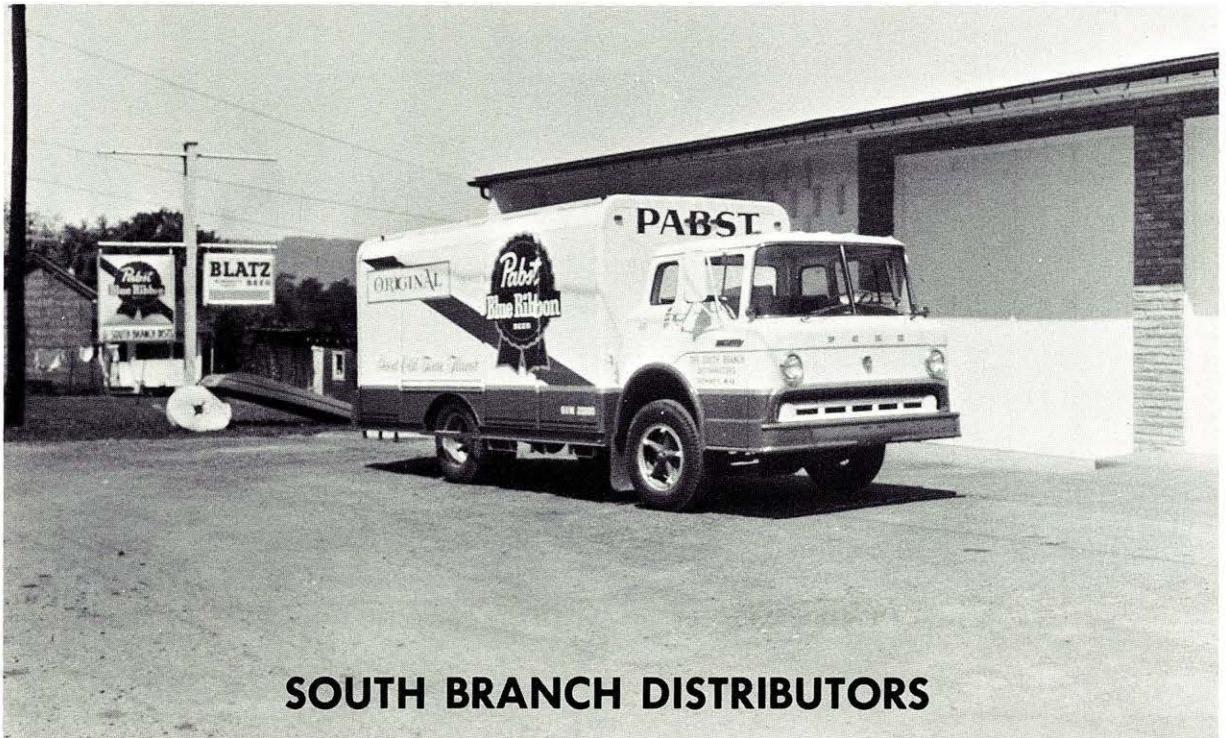
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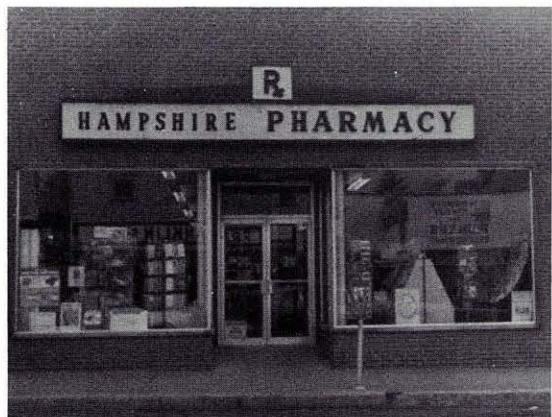
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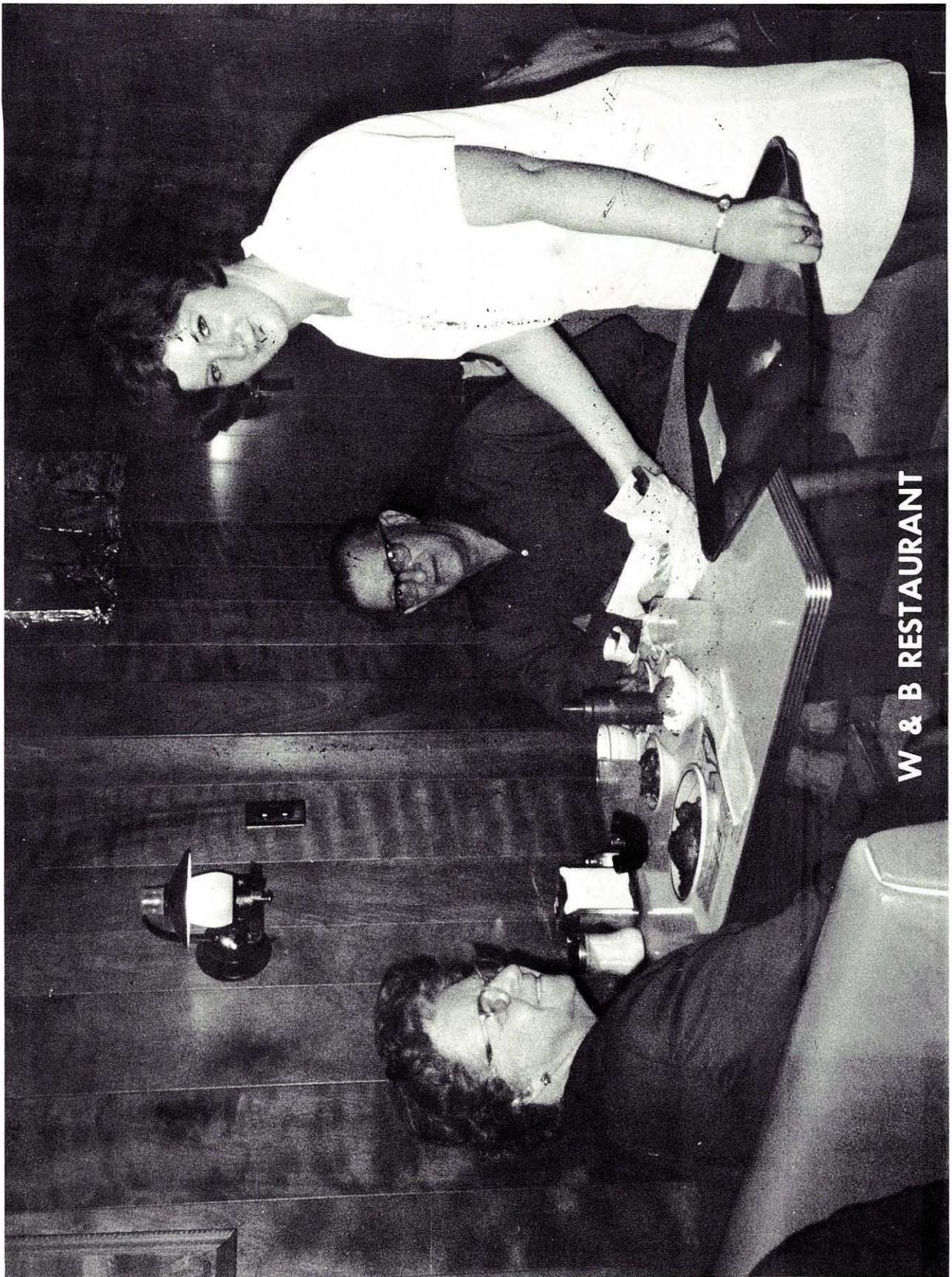
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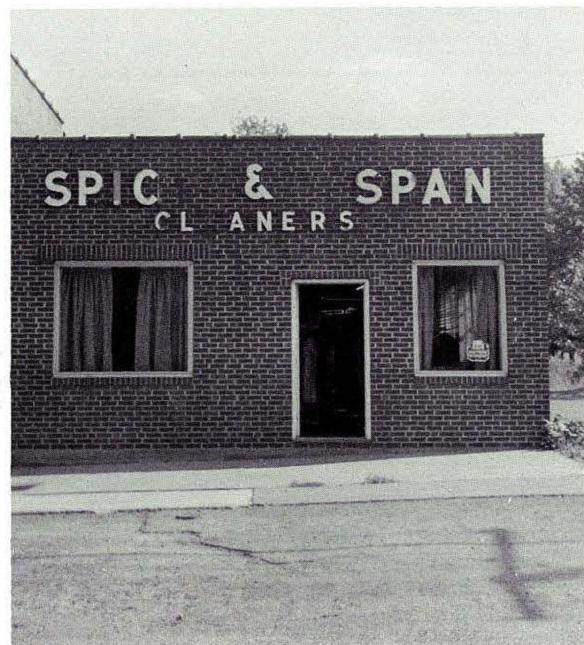
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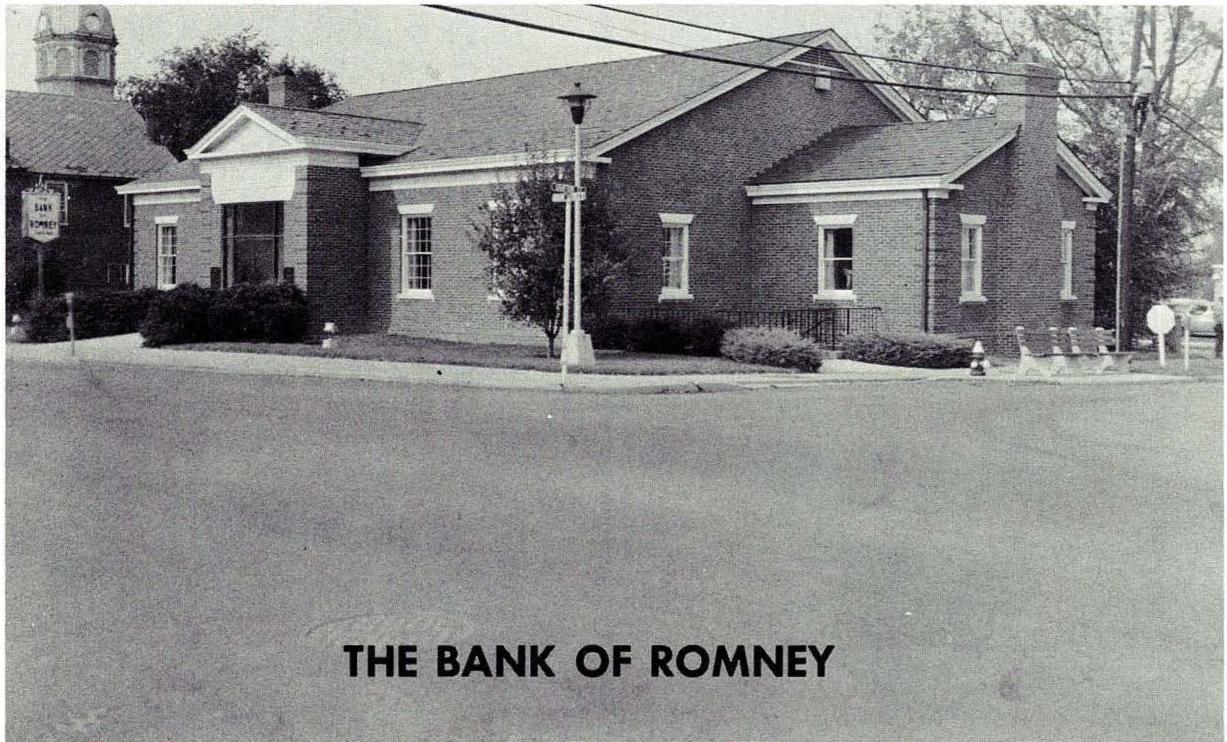
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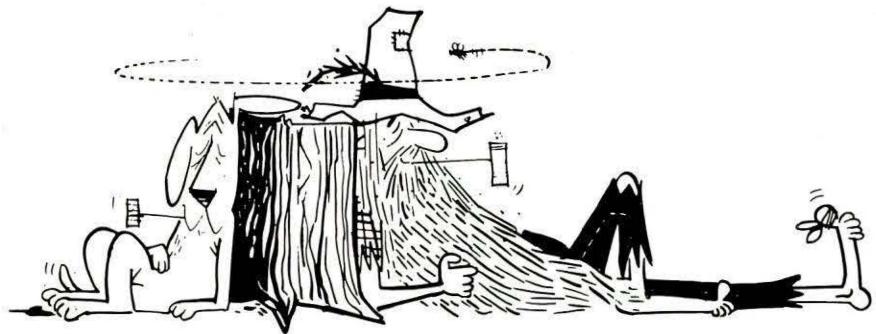
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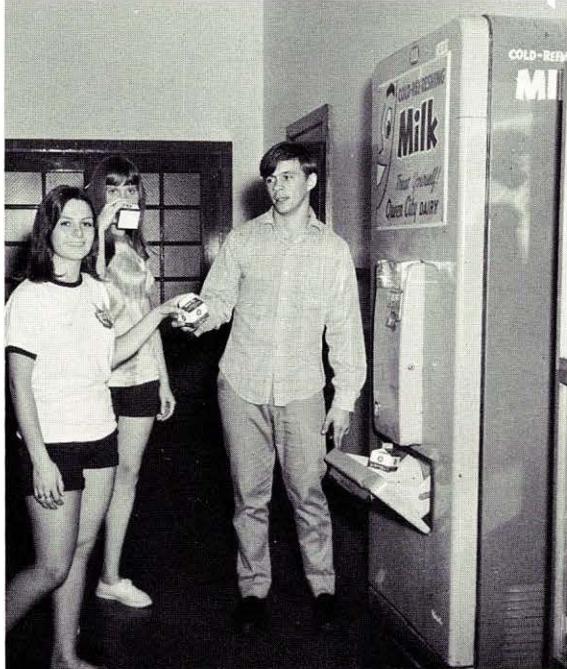
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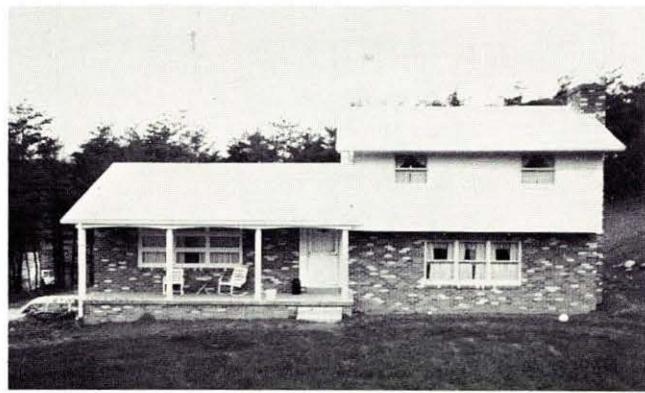
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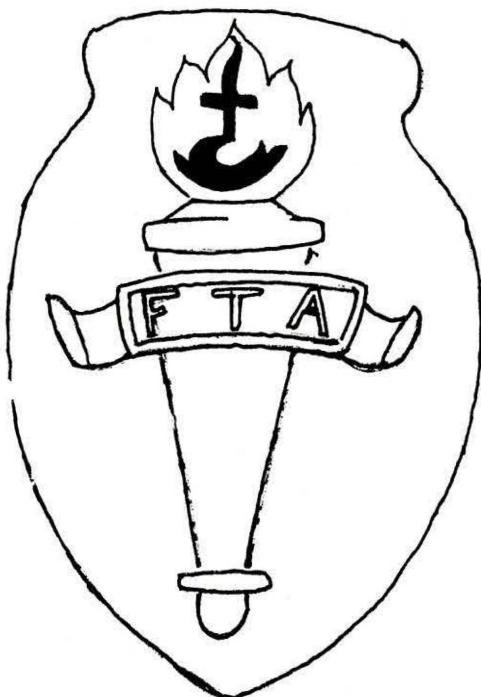
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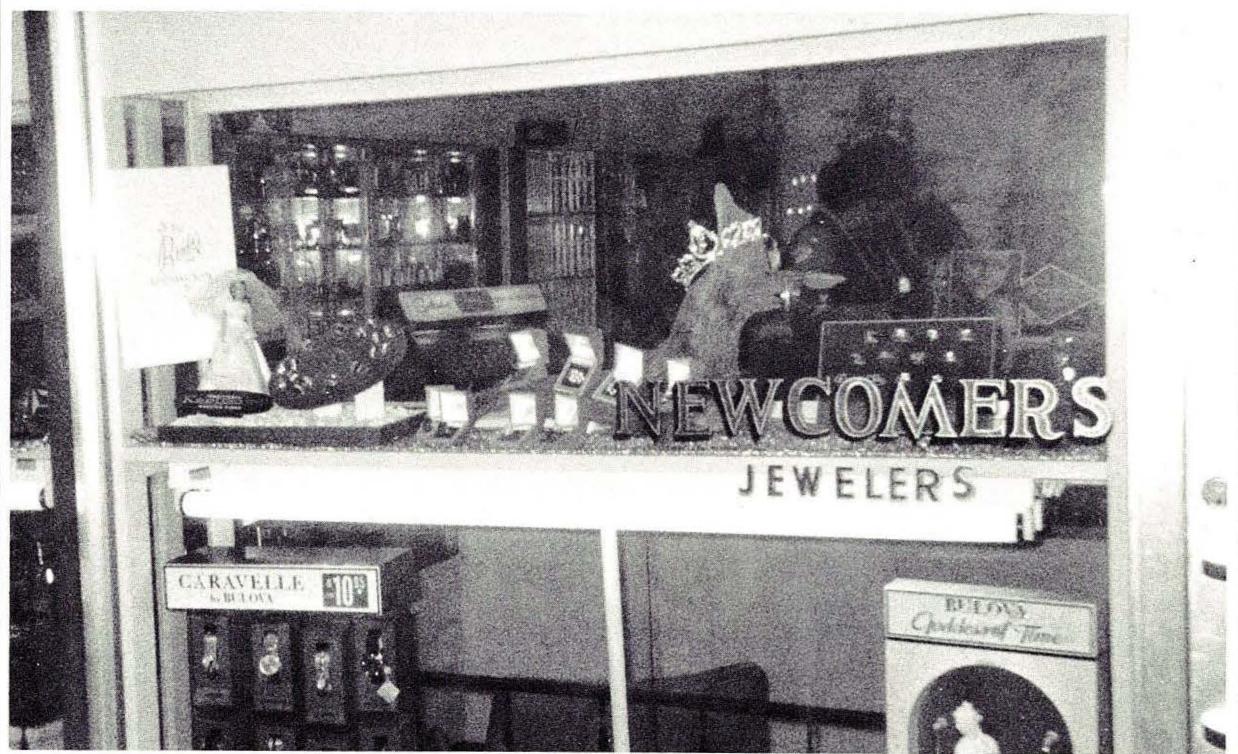
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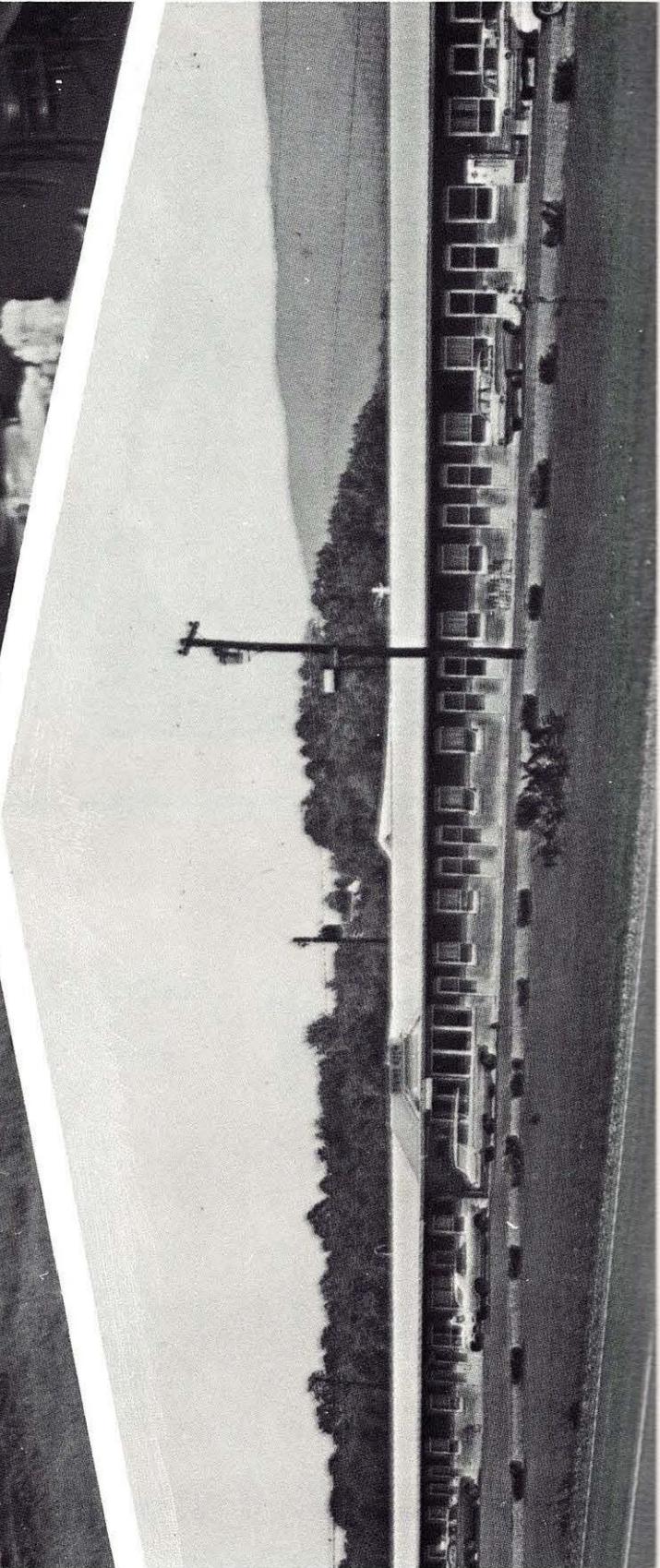
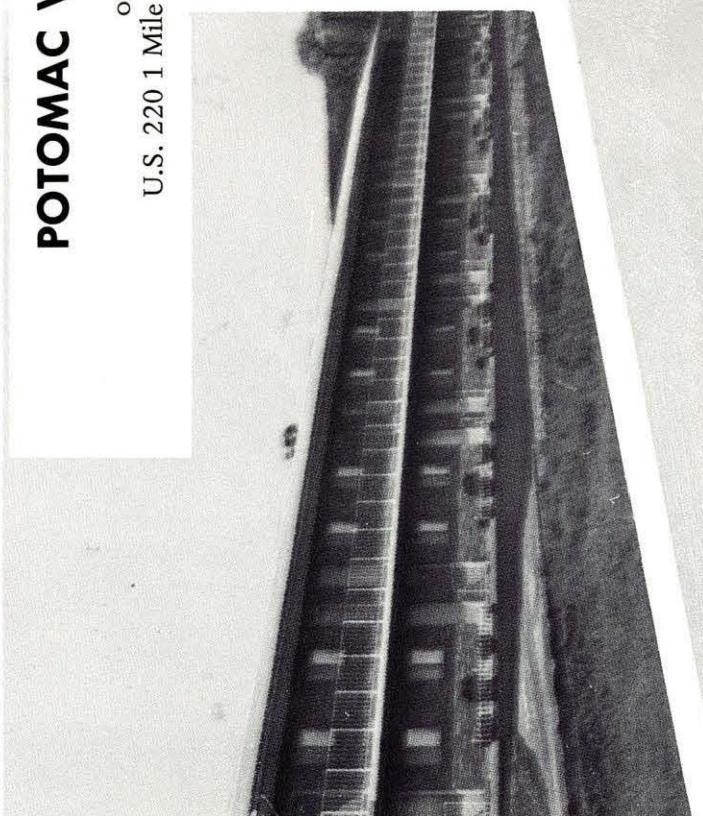
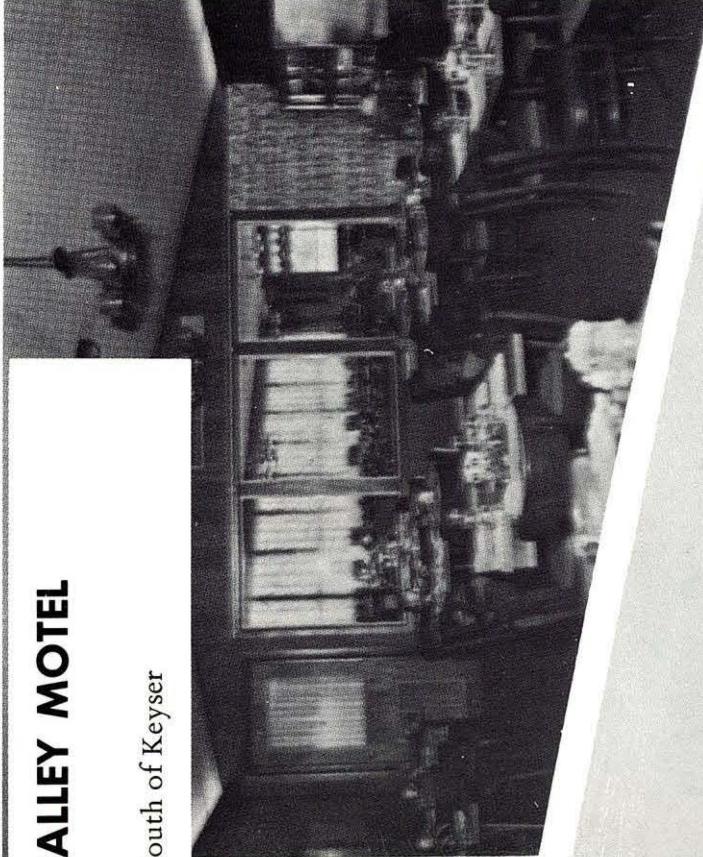
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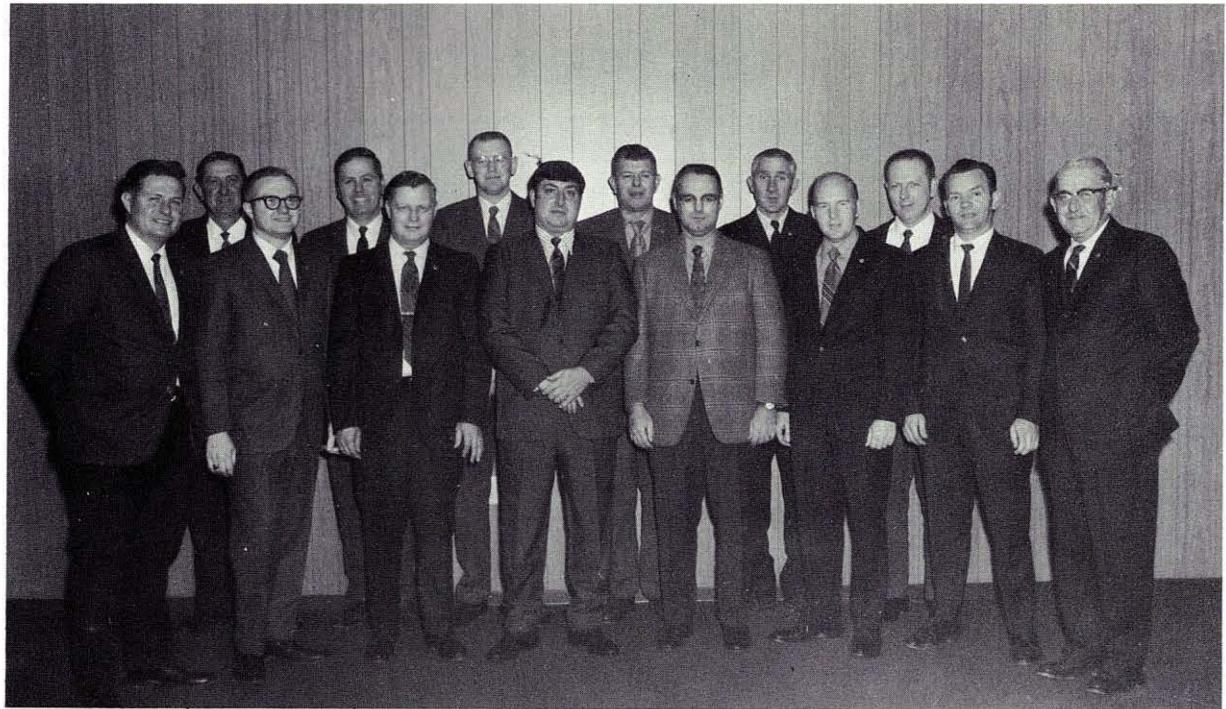
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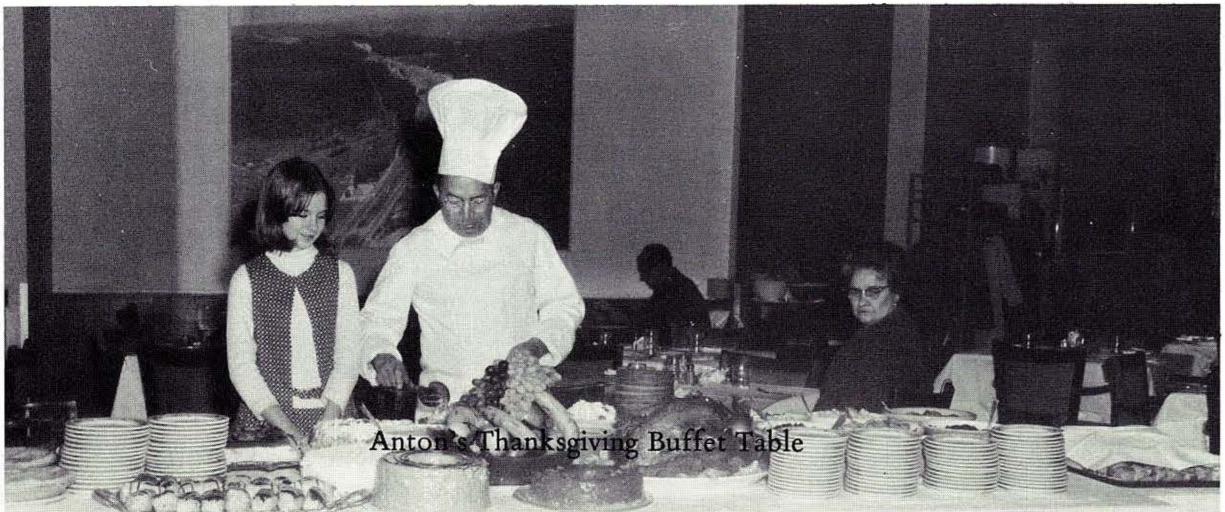


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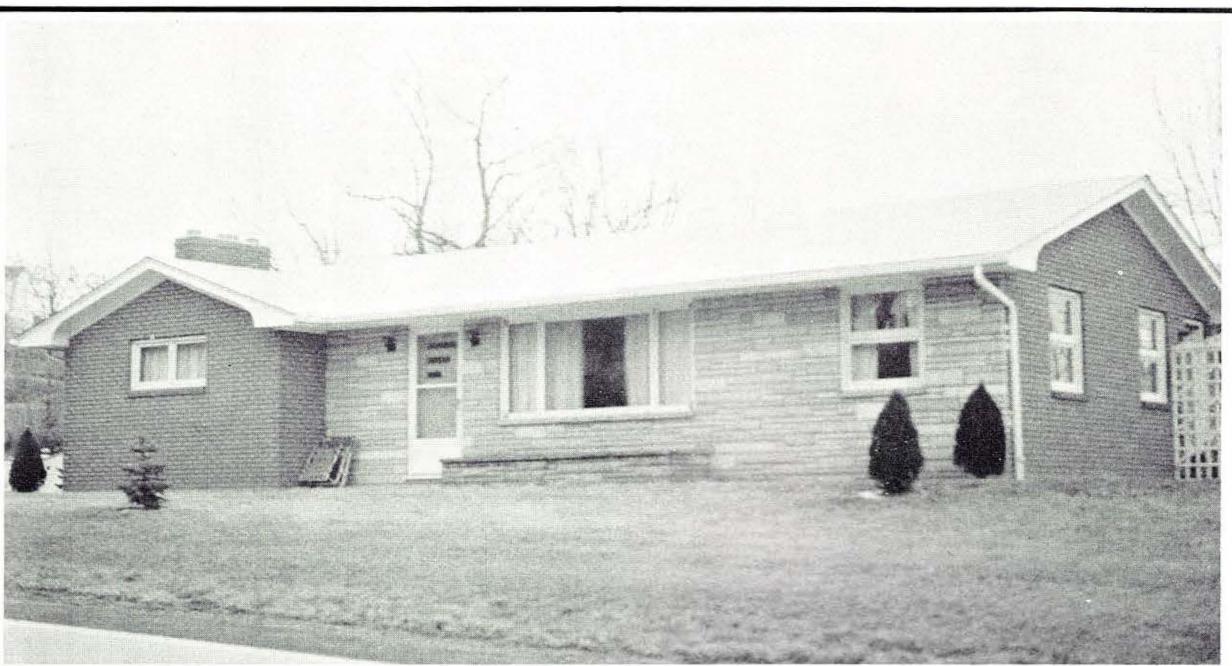
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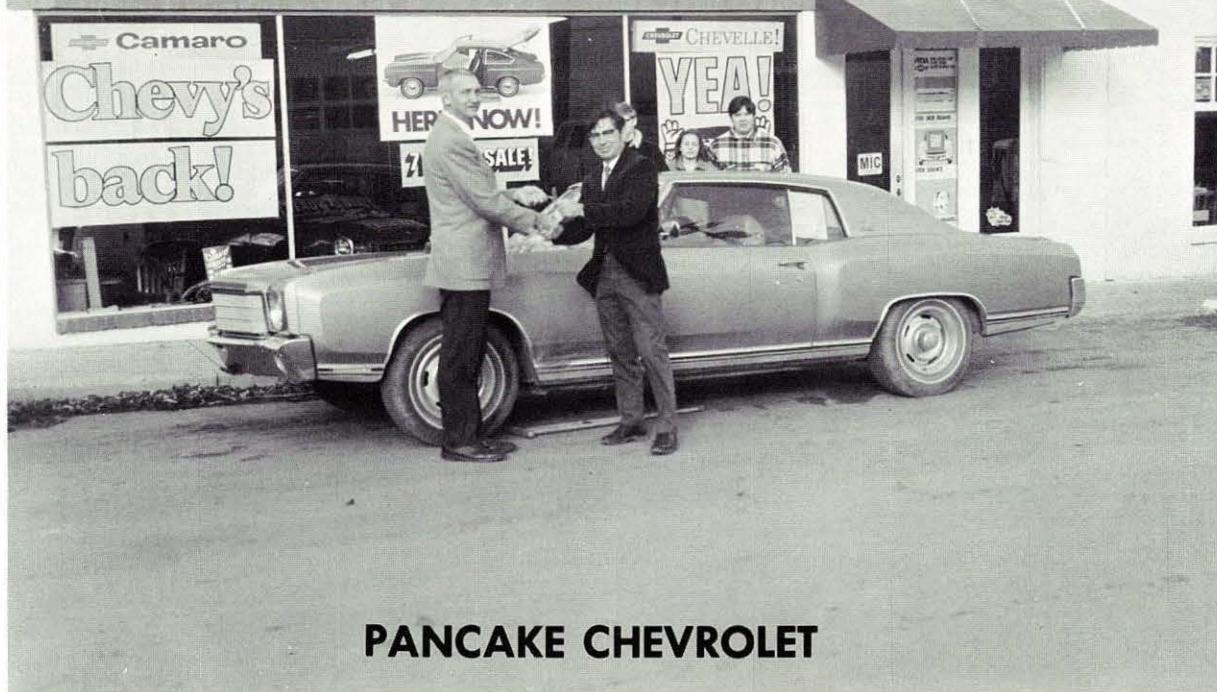
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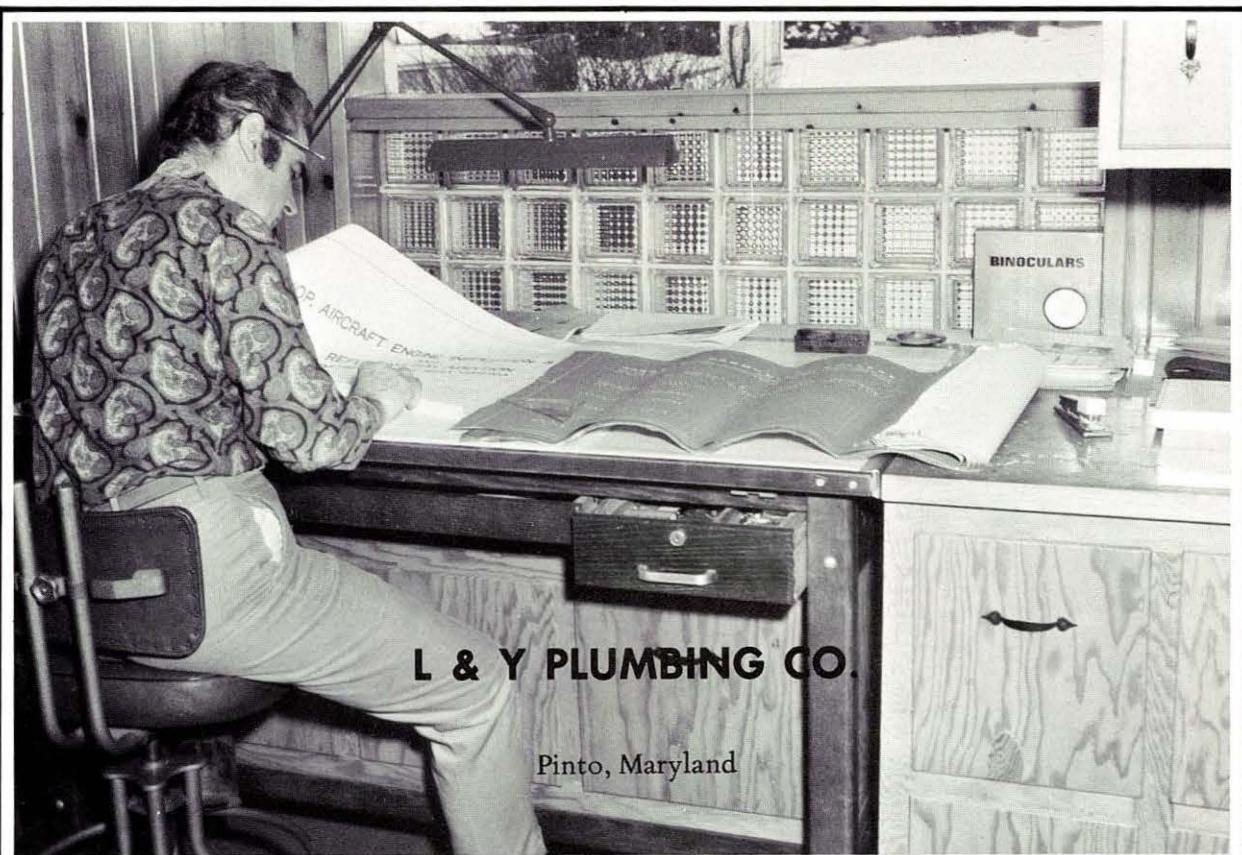
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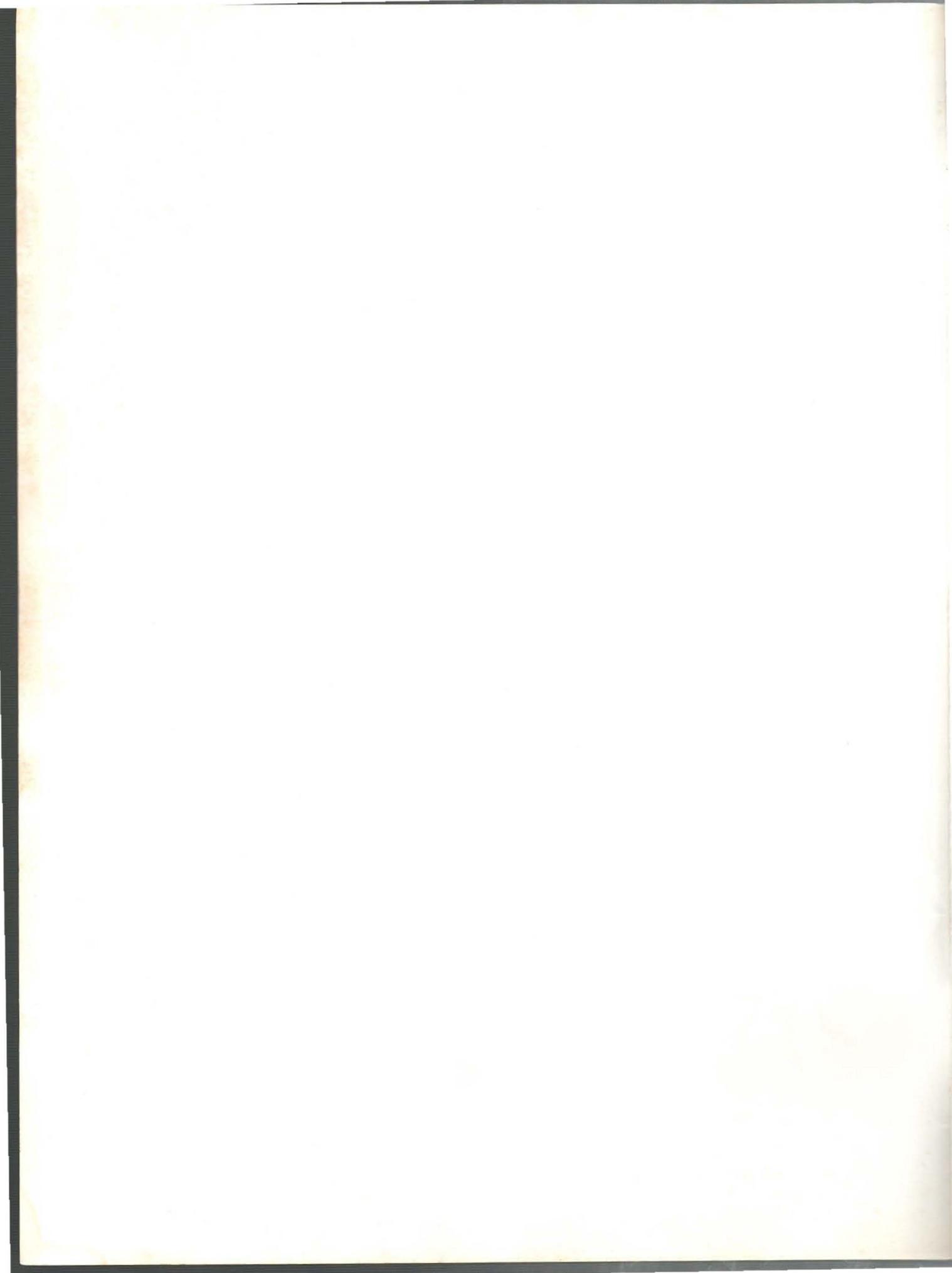
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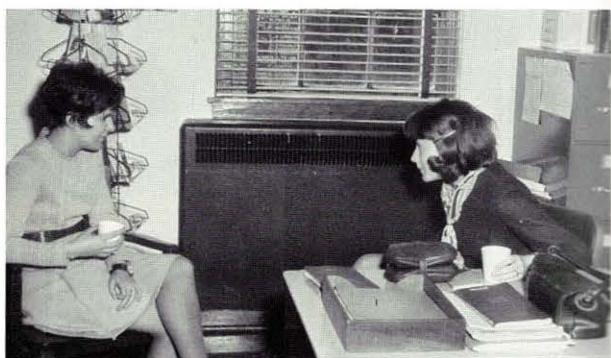
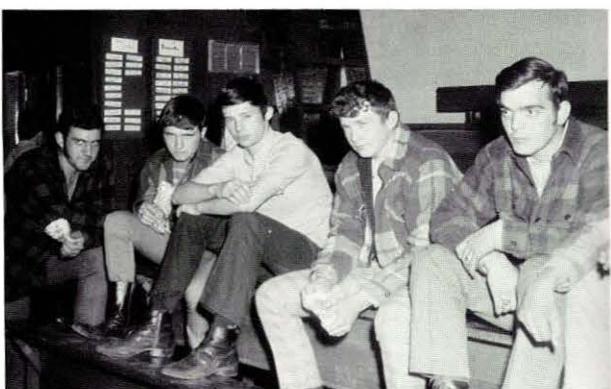


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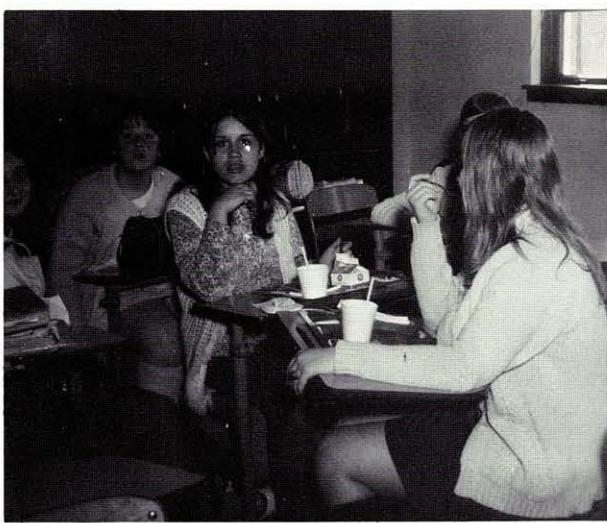


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Wicked witch of the West??



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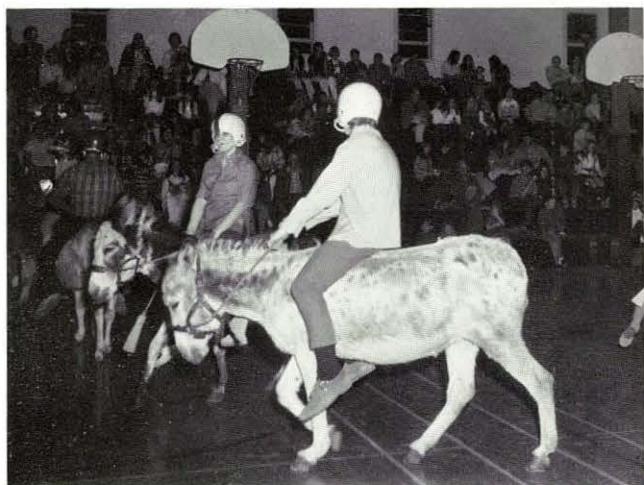


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Easter Assembly



The senior chorus provided the music for the assembly.



Veva Nield was one of the speakers in the program.

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The 1971, "FORTRESS QUEEN," Robin Dohrman and her court.



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Debbie Rexrode, last year's queen, presented Robin her bouquet and scepter.



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The Queen's dance.





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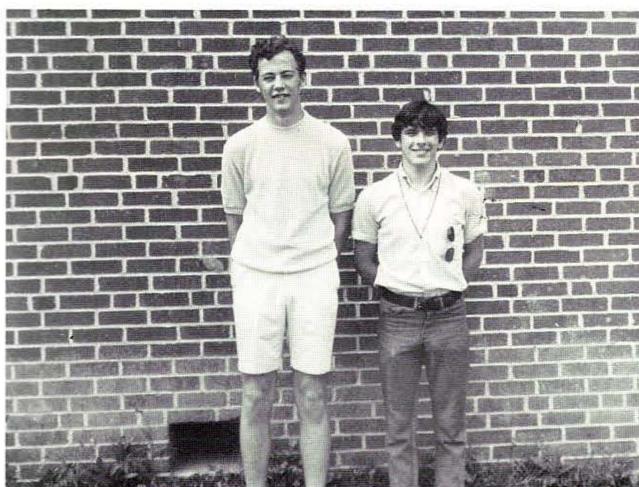


Pat Caldwell, Editor, presented the
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Base Ball



ROW 1: B. Moreland, D. Alt, B. Senn, E. Blauch, T. Gaines, R. Wagoner. ROW 2: D. Brelsford, M. Crone, C. Sours, R. Brelsford, R. Goff, C. Moreland, D. Hayes. ROW 3: Coach Sayers, R. Kenney, R. Miller, T. Bradfield, C. Snyder, T. Brelsford, C. Flanagan, Coach Riley.



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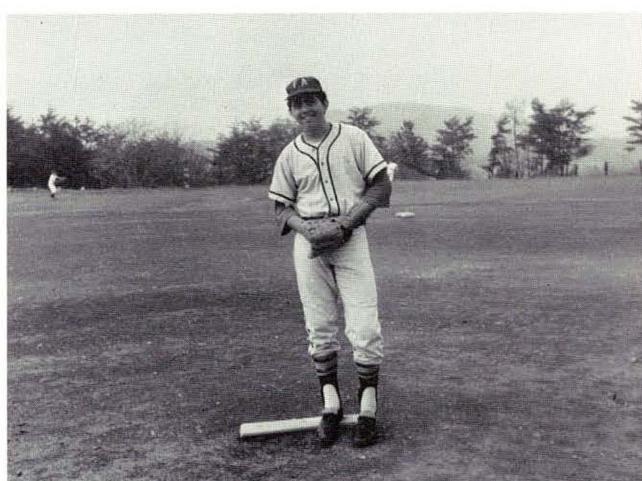
CHARLES SNYDER



RONNIE KENNEY



TERRY BRADFIELD



DONNIE HAYES



DOUG BRELSFORD

Junior and Senior Banquet

Everyone enjoyed their meal at the Banquet, held at Fort Ashby Fire Hall on May 29th.



These pretty Misses sang the Theme song, "Dream, Dream, Dream."



Brenda Beam, Rhonda Kimble, Cindi Bradfield, Barb Buser, Darlene Liller, Sharyn Troutman, and Cindi Schnibbe.

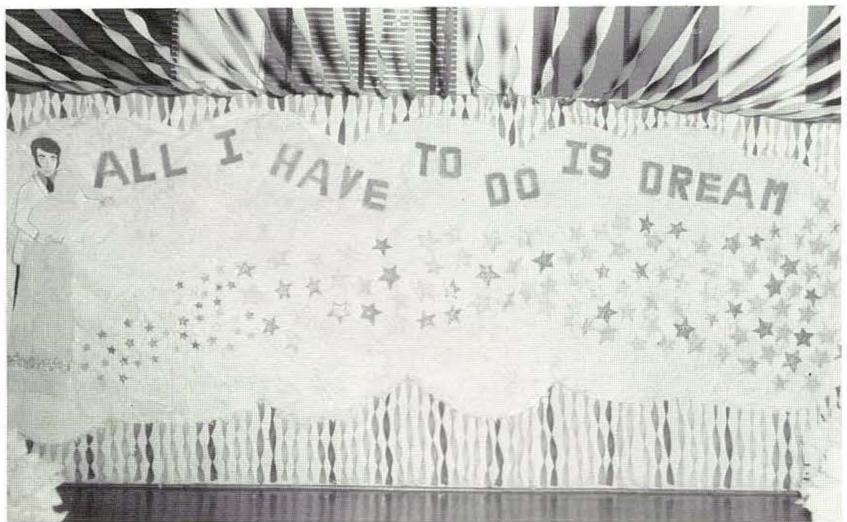


TOASTMASTER:
Lantz Evans



SENIOR SPEAKER:
Mike Morris

Prom



Doug Brelsford and Reida Riggleman were our Handsome and Pretty King and Queen of the Prom.



THEME:

"All I Have To Do Is Dream"



A wonderful time was had by all at the Prom.

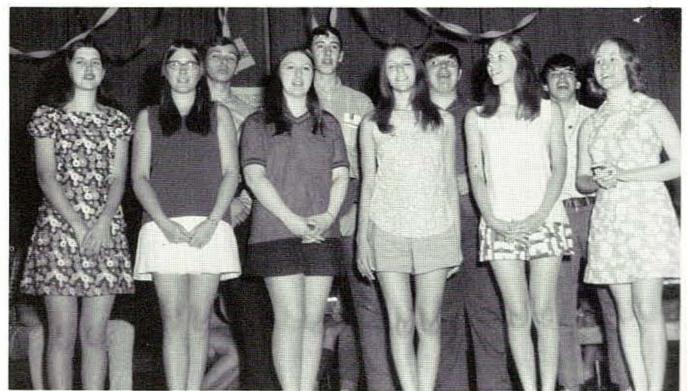
Music provided by the
"UNDERGROUND MOVEMENT"



Class Night '71



Terry Bradfield begins the festivities.



Certain seniors sang songs that had been part of their past.



Brian Moreland and Doug Brelsford provided the real entertainment of the last real production of the Class of '71.

Award Winners



TEACHERS OF THE YEAR ...
Mr. William Dye and Mrs. Givler



Grade school award winners.



Jr. High award winners.



Sr. High award winners.

Baccalaureate



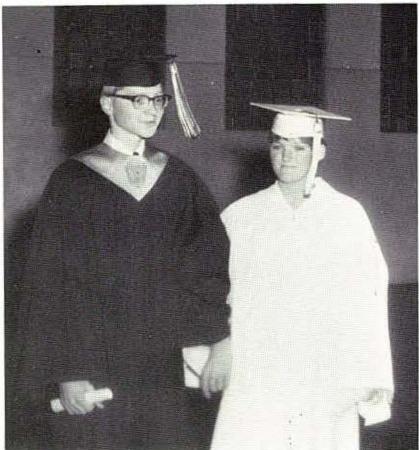
Mr. Marker



Reverend Paul Suder



Reverend Ernest Metheny



Charles Deremer and Patsy Caldwell ... CO-VALEDICTORIANS.



Hats off.



David Smith
and Diane
Kimble led
the seniors.



Lee Ann Alkire - PIANIST

Graduation — The Final Curtain



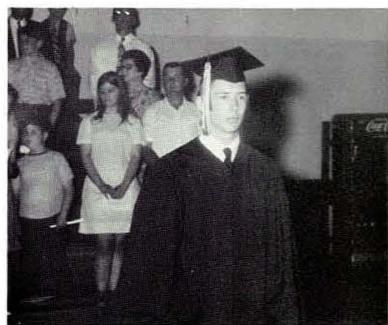
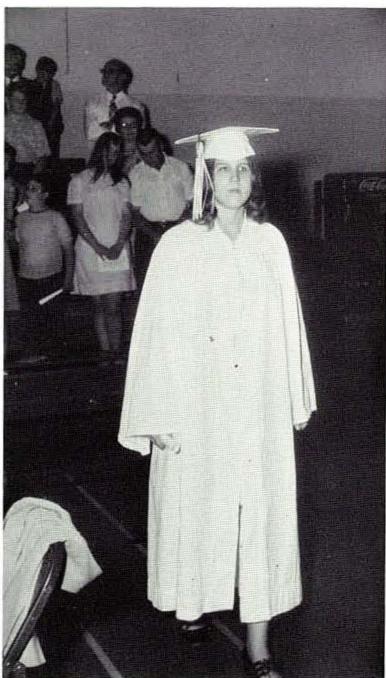
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CO-VALEDICTORIAN



Charles Deremer
CO-VALEDICTORIAN



Barbara Crone
SALUTATORIAN



Award Winners

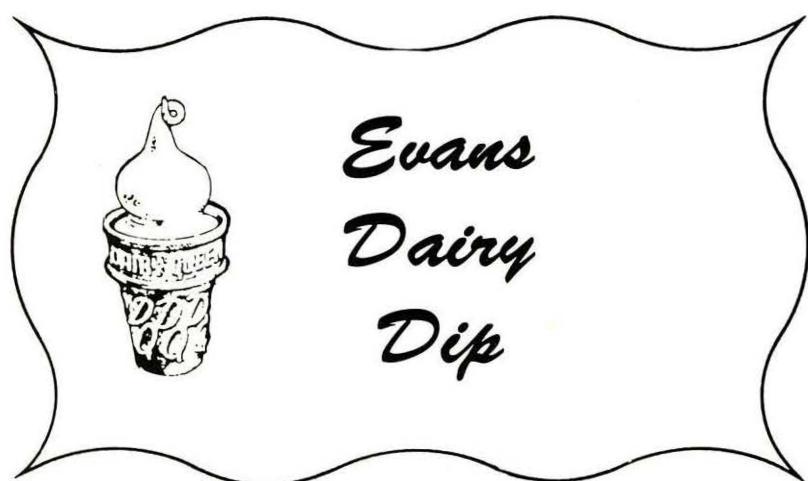
Junior Ushers



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Class of '71







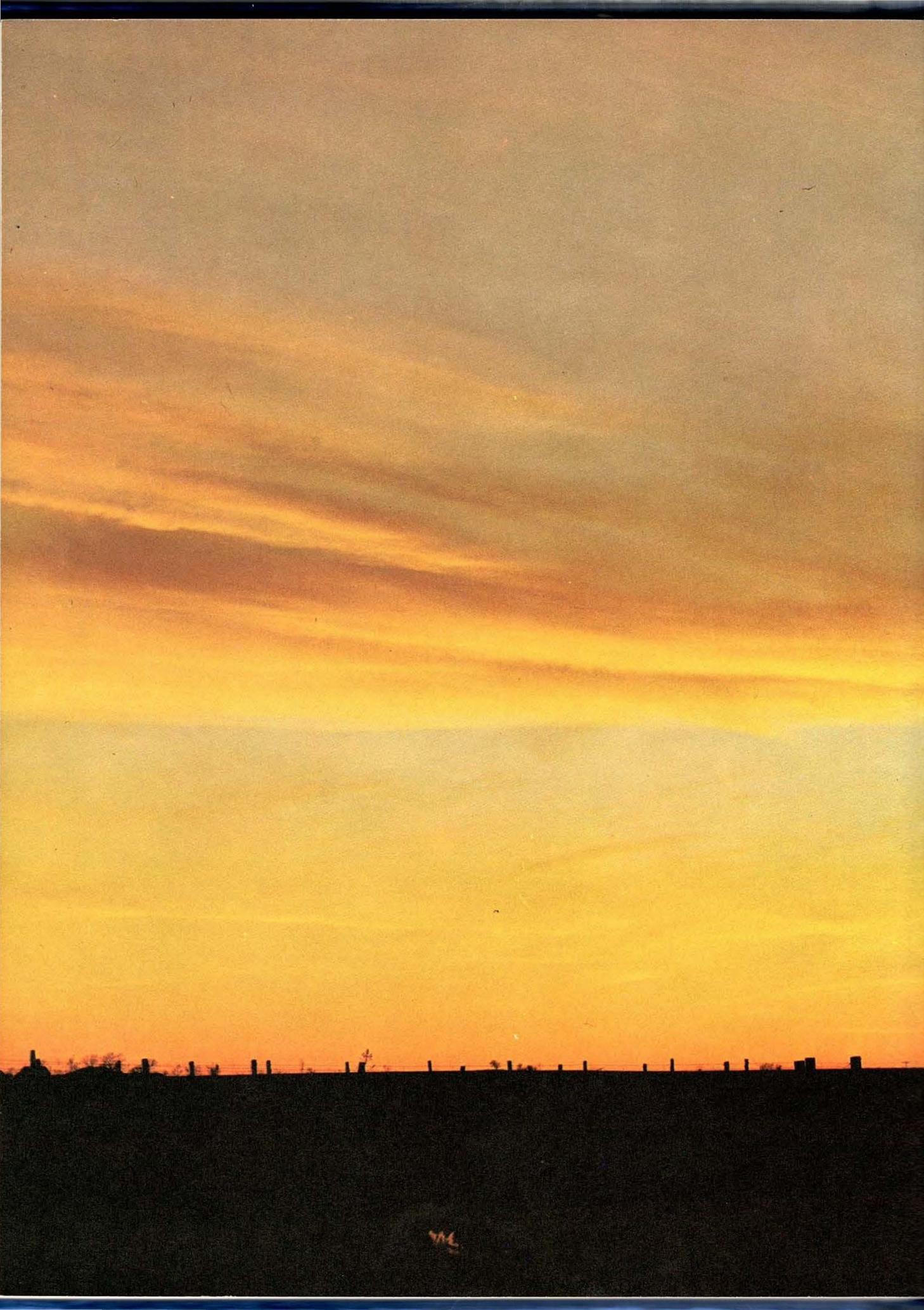
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BE SURE GLUE IS MOISTENED EVENLY**



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INEZ A. MCGUIRE

KEYSER, W.Va. — Inez A. McGuire, 74, of 73 "A" Street, Keyser, died Friday, April 5, 2002, at the Heartland of Keyser Nursing Home, Keyser.

Born Dec. 1, 1927, at Springfield, she was the daughter of the late John I. and Daisy E. (Hannas) Ansel. She was also preceded in death by one daughter, Janet Ansel; and one great-grandchild.

Mrs. McGuire was a retired business education teacher, having taught in the Mineral County, Hampshire County, Texas and Baltimore school systems. She was a graduate of West Virginia University and Shepard College and was a member of both alumni associations. An Episcopalian by faith, she was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary to Queen's Point Memorial Post 6775 VFW, McCoole, where she served as past president. She was also a member and past president of District 3, Maryland VFW Auxiliary and a member of Winter Haven Chapter 74, Order of the Eastern Star, Winter Haven, Fla.

Surviving is her husband of 28 years, Col. James M. McGuire, USA (Ret.); one son, Robert Ansel of Virginia; one step daughter, Marcia M. Kerns and husband George of Hastings, Fla.; three grandchildren, John Michael Ansel, Jennifer Lee Allen and Scott R. Allen; and one great-grandson, Devin Allen.

At Mrs. McGuire's request, there will be no public visitation.

Services will be conducted at the Smith Funeral Home, Keyser Chapel, on Wednesday, at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Fredric W. Villinger officiating. The Ladies Auxiliary to Queen's Point Memorial Post 6775 will conduct a memorial service at the funeral home at 10:55 a.m. Friends may call at the funeral home on Wednesday one hour prior to service.

Interment will be in the Indian Mound Cemetery, Romney.

The family requests that memorial contributions be directed to the West Virginia University Foundation Inc., PO Box 4533, Morgantown W. 26504-4533.